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IS LINCOLN'S ADVICE GOOD?

The Great Emancipator Advocated Temperance When a Young Man and Continued to His Death.

The martyred President was one of the stanchest advocates of temperance the White House ever had in it. He began advocating such principles when but a young man, and on the day of his death made the strongest expressions of any during his whole life. Just a few of his sayings on the subject are here quoted:

From an address by Lincoln on Washington's birthday, 1842:

"Let us make it as unfashionable to withhold our names from the temperance cause as for husbands to wear their wive's bonnets to church, and instances will be just as rare in the one case as the other. * * *

"What a noble ally this temperance resolution to the cause of political freedom; with such an aid its march cannot fail to be on and on, till every son of earth shall drink in rich fruition the sorrow-quenching draughts of perfect liberty. * * *

"If the relative grandeur of revolutions shall be estimated by the great amount of human misery they alleviate and the small amount they inflict, then indeed will this be the grandest the world shall ever have seen."

By Lincoln, January 23, 1858:

"Let every friend of temperance frown upon all efforts at regulating the cancer. Any license law, however stringent, must eventually increase the evil."

By Lincoln, September 29, 1863:

"When I was a young man I made temperance speeches and to this day I have never by my example belied what I then said."

"In the advocacy of the cause of temperance you have a friend and sympathizer in me. Intemperance is one of the greatest, if not the very greatest, of all evils among mankind."

By Lincoln on the last day of his life to Mayor J. B. Merwin:

"Merwin, we have cleared up a colossal job. Slavery is abolished. After reconstruction, the next great question will be the overthrow and suppression of the legalized liquor traffic, and you know my head and my heart, my hands and my purse will go into this contest for victory. In 1842, less than a quarter of a century ago, I predicted that the day would come when there would be neither a slave nor a drunkard in the land. I have lived to see one prediction fulfilled. I hope to live to see the other."

Married In Illinois.

A daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Rishel, at Woodstock, Illinois, formerly of Spring Mills, were recently married, a brief mention of which is made below.

Roy Plapp of Maple Park and Miss Maude Rishel were united in marriage in the Princeville parsonage, by Rev. Isaac Divian, on January 26. They will reside on the farm of M. J. Plapp, father of the groom, located four miles south of Maple Park, Illinois.

The second wedding in which the Rishel family was directly interested occurred on Febuary 24, when Roy Rishel and Miss Metta Wolfe of Kaneville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wolfe, were united in marriage by Rev. Richardson, at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Rishel will also begin farming two miles south of Maple Park, Illinois.

New Experimental Plant for State College.

Officials of the Pennsylvania State College were notified last week by the secretary of the United States Department of Agriculture that an experimental plant to determine the causes and effects of explosions of dust in grist mills will be located there. It will be operated in co-operation with the engineering experiment station and the department of mechanical engineering. It will be the first large experiment of this kind ever attempted. Construction of the plant is to begin immediately, and when complete it will be fully equipped with milling machinery.

Prof. J. A. Moyer, of the State College, will have charge of the experiment. B. W. Dedrick, instructor in flour milling, will operate the plant, and M. P. Helman, an instructor in mechanical engineering, will serve as the technical expert.

Aroused by the numerous grain dust explosions both in this country and abroad, the government was requested to conduct the investigation by the Millers' Committee, of Buffalo, N. Y, where an explosion of grain dust in 1913 killed 33 persons, injured 70 others, and caused a property loss of $70,000,000.

Penn State was selected for the experiment in preference to the University of Kansas, University of Minnesota, and the Michigan Agricultural College, all of whom sought the experimental plant.

RED ROOST HEARD FROM.

Story Emanated from Bellefonte that a Confession of Murder Had Been Made.

Saturday morning a story said to have emanated from "Red Roost," a section in Bellefonte, with all the rapidity that modern means provides for the dissemination of news, was sent out hither and yon. The story referred back to a bleak, dreary day in November, 1906, or to be exact to November 12th of the year named. And if this story had been true, the perpetrator of the cowardly murder of Josiah C. Dale, would be known today, but as it is, the murderer is still unknown, and the mystery surrounding the killing of the defenseless man, somewhere on Nittany Mountain, continues the mystery it was from the very beginning.

THE STORY FROM "RED ROOST."

The story from "Red Roost" sent out to every nook and corner of the county within a brief space of less than one hour, was that in the hospital lay an individual hovering between life and death as the result of a "successful" operation, and that a confession of the murder of Mr. Dale had been made.

With the bare assertion that a confession of the crime had been made, the embellishments were added as the foundationless story was repeated by one to the other until all the details were given, making the whole one most easily believed.

As soon as the "confession" reached the ears of District Attorney Fortney he went to the hospital, and was surprised to learn that the person to whom the confession was ascribed was not in then nor had been in the past, nor was the individual sick at home. Every effort was then made to correct the error from "Red Roost."

Seven Students Will Graduate.

The local high school will graduate seven students at the close of the school year in May. The class is composed of the following: Misses Grace Ishler, Carrie Sweetwood, May Royer, Mary Dinges, Messers. James Keller, Carl Auman, and William Bailey. For the first time in a number of years the senior class has remained intact, and there is every reason to believe that the full number will receive their diplomas at the graduation exercises. The class is organized and holds meetings at regular intervals. The young people are of a progressive nature and are exhibiting much enthusiasm and spirit in their preparations for this important event in their school careers.

Class day has been set for May 11th, at which time they will present the play, "Why Not Jim." Commencement is on the following day.

Complimentary to Prof. Neff.

In giving an account of a Grange meeting held at State College for the special benefit of the agricultural students, the Times refers to Prof. Neff in this way:

"Prof. C. R. Neff, of Centre Hall, a noted pedagogue and farmer, touched upon the practical side of farming in his address. The speaker is interested more particularly in the farmer and less in farming. He believes in developing the farmer and as a direct result of such developing the entire farming community will be greatly benefited and the farm property greatly enhanced in value. The facts elucidated by Mr. Neff were invaluable to not only the grangers but the students in agriculture, because they are not to be found in the text book."

Disposes of His Two Farms.

Capt. G. M. Boal, last week, sold his two farms in Potter township. The one, located west of Centre Hall, and tenanted by Richard Brooks, was sold to his son-in-law, D. A. Boozer, for $12,750. This farm contains 202 acres. The other farm, located on the pike east of Centre Hall, was sold to his daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Slack, for $5,500. This farm contains 98 acres and is tenanted by C. W. Slack.

New Building for I. O. O. F. Orphanage.

Material is being assembled for a new terra cotta building to be erected among the group of Odd Fellows buildings east of Sunbury. The structure will be put up in the spring and operations will commence just as soon as all of the frost is out of the ground, which will be within the next two weeks. The structure will not be put up by contract. Supt. Chubbuck and J. W. Stroh, in charge of the work, are negotiating for the purchase of the material and have nearly finished the preliminary work.

The Grand Master and Grand Secretary of the Pennsylvania Odd Fellows, who were in Sunbury, visited the orphanage and were greatly impressed with the progress being made by the children and the fine work that has been done there within the last fifteen years. They approved of the plans for the new band house and gymnasium.

MORE SUPPORT FOR PRESIDENT.

Republican Congressman from Massachusetts Praises Wilson Policies in Regard to War.

Congressman Gillett, of Massachusetts, is the latest Republican of importance to assert full loyalty to President Wilson in the conduct of our foreign relations and to give his unstinted praise of the administration's attitude in the matter of the war. In doing this he follows in the footsteps of former President Taft and Congressman Mann, Republican leader in the House. This is the way Mr. Gillett expresses his sentiment:

"I am glad to advise that the attitude of the administration during the European war has my full and unqualified approval. I think it has been wise, impartial, dignified, temperate, asserting our rights as neutrals firmly and considerately, acknowledging our duties as neutrals frankly and voluntarily, and displaying always a friendly and sympathetic spirit which ought to qualify us for any possible role of peacemaker.

"I trust this specific and unexceptionable disposition will continue. I trust we shall not know any sudden episode to stir hot blood and provoke retaliation. We must remember that the nations that are struggling desperately for their lives are accustomed to the daily tortures and deaths of thousands, and in their intense absorption are liable to ignore, even forget, that there are also nations in the world who are still at peace and who are still engaged in the pursuit of commerce and who have rights.

"We must not waive or yield those rights, yet I think we must allow for the abnormal conditions and must not allow any sudden injury to draw us into that vortex of fiery passions and hates. We can afford to keep calm and cool.

"I thoroughly approve and indorse the temperate and pacific and genuinely neutral policy of the administration. I hope it will continue, and I shall be glad to continue my support."

This is the right attitude to take and it is the manly thing to come out in the open and make public expression of it. When President McKinley was facing the perplexities of the Spanish War, Democrats came to his support as heartily and upheld him as loyally. It has long been a common saying in this country that partisanship halts at the seashore. If this were not the case our national life would be a very uncertain quantity.

Foreign problems are intricate and delicate enough at best. If they are of any magnitude they tax the President to the utmost. If to the natural difficulties should be added domestic antagonism and splenitic criticism the task would be overwhelming. The problems President Wilson is facing at this time are among the most critical this country has ever encountered. If he is to meet them and solve them he must have the united support of the country. It is extremely gratifying to note that this is being given.

It Will Soon be Peep! Peep!—6000 Strong.

Probably the most interesting place in the county at the present time is the Kerlin Grand View poultry farm where six thousand eggs are in process of incubation. In a few weeks nearly that many chix, for Mr. Kerlin has learned how to secure almost a perfect hatch, will be ushered into the chicken world. Sixteen large incubators are loaded to their capacity and the Kerlins are now in the busiest season of the year. They employ system, however, in all departments of their big plant, and the careful attention necessary for a proper hatching is to them not so big a problem as appears to the amateur poultry raiser.

Amputates Deer's Leg.

Game Protector Woody Kelly, of DuBoise, was at the railroad station in that city when a car load of deer from Minnesota, consigned to Clarion county sportsmen, was being transferred from one train to the other. In one of the crates there were two fawns one of which had a broken leg. Mr. Kelly had the injured deer removed to his barn and calling in a veterinary had the leg amputated and fixed up properly. The deer is but little the worse for its experience and bounces about on its three legs as nimble almost as before the accident.

Ladies Fine Stationery.

At this office may be found a new lot of ladies' stationery—both in envelope and card form and in the regular box style. All grades, from low price stationery to that used in the better class of correspondence. Don't fail to see it. Also line of Easter post cards.

Bruce Arney has recovered from a week's illness with sore throat.

DEATHS.

The death of Mrs. Eliza McClellan, brief mention of which was made in last week's issue of the Reporter, occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry W. Frantz, at Earlystown, at noon Wednesday. Mrs. McClellan suffered a paralytic stroke on Christmas and since that time had been in a very helpless condition, her heart continually growing weaker until the end came.

Deceased was a daughter of Judge and Mrs. Aaron Middleworth and was born at Beavertown, Snyder county, on December 7th, 1840, making her age seventy-four years, two months and seventeen days. She was married to Joseph R. McClellan in 1860 and most of their married life was spent in Centre county. Mr. McClellan died a number of years ago but surviving her are the following children: Rev. William A. McClellan, of Rockwood; Mrs. Harry Frantz, of Earlystown; Robert H., of Linden Hall; Elmer A., Mrs. Cora J. Burchfield and Harry A., of Tusseyville; Charles E, of Millheim, and Frank J., of Centre Hall. She also leaves three brothers, namely, Joseph Middleworth, Beavertown; Jacob Middleworth, Holden, Missouri; William Middleworth, Kansas City, Kansas.

Funeral services were held at the Frantz home Saturday morning at nine o'clock and interment followed in the cemetery at Tusseyville, Rev. D. S. Kurtz and Rev. R. Raymond Jones, officiating.

Mifflinburg lost by death one of its most highly respected citizens, Mr. Abraham Eberhart, who passed peacefully away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Edleman, on Thompson street, aged eighty-two years, ten months and five days.

Mr. Eberhart was born in Berks county, and at the age of twelve years moved to Union county, where he followed the plastering trade for years, at which he was one of the most proficient in his locality. He had a host of warm friends due to his pleasing and ever agreeable manner, and was one of the leading and upright citizens.

He was a veteran of the Civil War, having served faithfully in Company D, 150th Regiment, Penns. Vol. Inf. (Bucktails.)

Surviving are his wife and one son, Harry E Eberhart, residing in Milton, and the following brothers and sisters, namely: David Eberhart, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Samuel Burris, of Centre Hall; William Eberhart, Nathaniel Eberhart, Mrs. Harvey Shontz, of Mifflinburg, and James Eberhart, of Lewisburg. Four children preceded him to the grave.

Maurice Yeager died in Pittsburgh after an illness with dropsy for a period of about one year. Interment was made in Bellefonte from his home on Bishop street.

Mr. Yeager was a son of Henry Yeager, and was aged forty-five years and six months. He was born in Bellefonte, where at one time he was landlord of the Brant House, and later identified with the Yeager Swing Company.

Mrs. Yeager, formerly Miss Cassell of New York, survives, as does also a son, Fred, a student at State College, and two daughters, at home. Harvey Yeager, the shoe dealer, and Mrs. Edward Harper, both of Bellefonte, and Mrs. J. O'Connell, of Cleveland, Ohio, are brother and sisters.

Mrs. Samuel H. Williams died in Bellefonte, aged sixty-eight years, seven months. She was the daughter of James Hamilton and was born near Pleasant Gap, on the Hamilton farm. Her husband died several years ago. One daughter, Mavilla Williams, State College, survives, as do also these step children: Horatio C., John Harvey and Willis E. Mrs. E. D Satterfield, Mrs. William Dawson and Mrs John Noll of Bellefonte are sisters of the deceased.

Wilson Williams, died at his home near Martha, a short distance from Philipsburg, on Friday, of diseases incident to old age. He was born near Martha, on March 27, 1831, and had resided all his life in that vicinity. His wife preceded him to the grave two weeks ago. He was a veteran of the Civil war, serving in the One Hundred and Forty-third regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers. He is survived by seven children, two brothers and two sisters. The funeral took place Monday with interment at Brown's cemetery, near Martha.

At Garman's Opera House.

"Damaged Goods" will be presented at Garman's Opera House, Bellefonte, Thursday evening, March 11th. Beyond a doubt this play is one of the best on the American stage to-day. Popular prices—$1 50, $1 00, 75c, 50c, 25c.

LETTER FROM SCRANTON.

A Strong Partizan Uncomplimentary to President Wilson—Not Fair in His Criticism.

The following letter is from a former resident of Centre Hall, and is well known to many of the readers of the Reporter and is also well known to be and to have been all his life a Republican. While his criticisms are manifestly unfair they are passed along for the reader to pass judgment on. Mr. Shires is district manager of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey.

Dear Mr. Smith:

The pink label on the last issue of the Reporter suggests to me that I owe you $1.50 for another year's subscription to your very much appreciated paper, for I am frank to admit that it comes to us each week as an old acquaintance, telling us of the many happenings in our old native Centre county which has to us very many fond memories.

The business of our city of Scranton has not been quite as prosperous in the last year as it might have been, due in part, to the mild winter, the war in Europe, but I believe more particularly to "Uncle Woodrow's" attempting to doctor the tariff and meddling with some of the business affairs of the nation, and you know a school teacher is never any good as a business man however well meaning he may be at heart. We do admire him, however, for his lack of pugnacity or we might today be struggling among the mountainous regions of Mexico in a dishonorable man-hunt.

Scranton has, in the last year, raised a One Million Dollar Fund which is to be used in assisting worthy industries in locating in our City and up to the present time, our Board of Trade, which consists of almost one thousand members, has induced several good enterprises to locate with us.

The business outlook for the city for 1915 is decidedly encouraging and we are sanguine enough to believe that the roseate dawn of prosperity is upon us, although I believe that it will be a surprise to many, even our Democratic brethren should it happen, as history usually repeats itself, and you know we have never had prosperity during a Democratic administration. This may not suit your sentiments but we are facing a condition and not a theory, as the sage "Grover" one time said.

Asking that you place to my credit this little remittance and continue to mail us your paper for another year, and with very kind regards and best wishes to the Reporter and our many friends, the readers thereof, I beg to subscribe myself.

Very truly yours,
M. SHIRES.

Letter from Illinois.

The letter following is written by a son of G. H. Rishel, of Woodstock, Illinois, and is of general interest. The father and son will be recalled by many, the Rishel family having lived at Spring Mills and Coburn prior to going to Illinois.

WOODSTOCK, Illinois.

Editor Reporter:

Woodstock is in northern Illinois, eighteen miles south of the Wisconsin State line, fifty-three miles west of Chicago. We are having ideal spring weather at the present time, which is very acceptable after a fairly hard winter. Have had more snow this winter than has fallen in a number of years. Sleighing was good from Christmas time until about ten days ago. There has been very little rain since early fall. The greatest difficulty is the dreaded hoof-and-mouth disease which over-runs this section—I dare say the whole state of Illinois—but the quarantine is being lifted from some counties every day, yet we are far from being free of danger. All farm products, such as hay, oats, corn, corn stalks, or corn fodder as the Pennsylvania people call it, and live stock must be examined by Federal inspectors before it can leave any farm, whether in the quarantined districts or not. The first of March is moving time here and everybody is in a stew as to what is going to happen, providing a few more new cases break out.

Wheat is looking good, but little is grown here. This is a dairy district, so not very much small grain, except corn, is grown. Grain is up to war prices, as follows: Corn, No. 4, yellow, 72½c to 73½c; No. 4, white, 74½c to 75½c; wheat, No. 2, red, $1 62½ to $1 65½; No. 2, hard, $1 62½ to $1.66; oats, No. 3, white, 58½ to 58½c; No. 4, white, 57½c to 58½c; rye, No. 2, 77c to 84c; timothy seed, $5 50 to $6 50; clover seed, $11 50 to $14 50. Cows are selling for $40 00 to $75 00, according, to the grade, much lower than last year this time; hogs, cattle and sheep are holding their own fairly well.

Well this is all for this time. With best wishes for those back in the east,

Very truly,
February 23, 1915. C. E. RISHEL.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

Let your slogan be: Get busy and get business.

The long tight skirt is to give way to the short wide one—shorter than ever before and wider than ever.

Boyd Magee and Chester Kurtz spent a few days last week near Lewistown as the guests of the former's uncle, Fred Nolan.

A. L. Reedy was appointed postmaster at Laurelton. He at one time was a drummer for a hat firm and visited Centre Hall frequently.

Miss Hazel Emery, after spending three weeks with her friend, Miss Helen Weidensaul at Reedsville, returned to her home last week.

The State College laundry has been taken over by the Lewisburg Peerless Laundry and they will operate it in the future, placing one of their ladies at its head.

Application will be made by the fourteen veterans of the Spanish-American War, residing in Bellefonte, for a charter, which will permit them to organize a camp.

W. F. Colyer recently sold twelve acres of farm land, located on the "sheep hill" within the borough limits of Millheim, says the Journal, to Mrs. Sarah Homan. Consideration $600.

Claire Gfrerer, twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gfrerer, of Axe Mann, had the misfortune to break the ankle bone in his right foot, one day last week, while playing in a barn near his home. The lad is a nephew of Frank and William Gfrerer of this place.

Suppose we judge each as kindly and considerately as we can. It is not easy to disagree with one's friends concerning any matter, and especially when one is in an overwhelming minority. And yet there are times when it simply must be done; there is no alternative.

To eliminate dishonesty from examinations at the Pennsylvania State College, the student governing bodies have advocated the establishment of the honor system. The plan under consideration embodies all the best points of honor systems in force at other colleges.

The fourth car load of horses bought up in Penns Valley was shipped from Coburn to the Washington, D. C., market, one day last week. The animals were purchased by George Homan for Gus Eichberg. The stock will finally find its way to markets farther south than the national capital.

Don't forget, please, that we want to publish all items of a newsy character, and this office is only so far away as your telephone. Call us on either 'phone and report the visits of your distant friends, parties, matter of a personal character, and the like. We want to make the paper more newsy, but we need your help.

In addition to the buildings already mentioned to be erected in Millheim within the next few months, the Journal makes this reference to a prospective one: It is rumored that a new building is to be erected this spring on the P. P. Leitzell lot, made vacant by the recent fire. It is not yet made known who will build or for what purpose.

The licensed places in Union county have dwindled down to two and these were granted at the license court last week. Both places are in Lewisburg. A big string of remonstrants against the granting of license to the Laurelton hotel was presented and the court refused the license because, he said, the sentiment of the people must be considered.

The last week in February was one of many different kinds of weather. For the first three days the atmosphere was balmy and spring-like, the thermometer rising to fifty-five degrees on Tuesday. Thursday evening, however, king winter blew his breath upon us again and kept it up until the last day of the month when the mercury shriveled up to within twelve degrees of the 0 mark.

If some of the business men who think business not quite as good as it ought to be would try to get business by putting their best propositions before the people, they could do much to make business conditions better. There are too many merchants and dealers of all kinds who expect to profit from the business created by others, and will not spend a cent in an effort to reach a customer. And all the while the large mail order houses are sending catalogues of all descriptions to Centre Hall and other towns like it by the sack fulls, and they are getting the trade. Get busy and get after business; it is in sight, and somebody will get it.

RUSSIANS MOVE FOREWARD AGAIN

Offensive Operations Along Their Whole Front.

BIG BATTLE ON THE NIEMEN

Recapture Of Przasnysz After Furious Fighting Gives the Czar's Armies a Fine Pivotal Point From Which To Carry On Their New Offensive.

Athens.—The Allies have disembarked detachments of artillery near the destroyed Dardanelles forts and British and French flags are now flying over them.

The forts on the European side have been reduced to silence. Mine-sweeping operations continue.

There are 50,000 Turks on the European side and 15,000 on the Asiatic side.

The Furious Conflict In East.

London. — The Russian offensive operations appear to extend along their whole front—an indication that they have been able to bring very stronger reinforcements into the field.

They have successfully checked the German advance in North Poland where the Germans are reported to be in retreat, and the recapture of Przasnysz, after severe fighting, has given them an excellent pivotal point from which to carry on their further operations.

All the Petrograd correspondents refer to the capture of a large number of Germans as a new phase of the war and credit it to a lack of officers among the German armies and the large number of young untrained men who have been drafted into them.

The Russians claim to have captured 58 officers and 5,400 men.

The Russian offensive extends to what is now known as the Bzura-Rawka front, where they successfully opposed Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's attempt to advance on Warsaw in December and January.

In Western Galicia.

There has also been heavy fighting in Western Galicia and in the Carpathians, but without bringing any notable change in the situation. In Eastern Galicia the Russians report another repulse for the Austrians, who have again lost a number of prisoners.

With Russia it would seem to be a case of keeping up the supply of ammunition, which the opening of the Dardanelles would greatly assist.

The attempt to force the straits by the allied fleet is indeed of momentous importance to the Allies.

The opening of the straits would release the Russian grain which the Allies want and would give to Russia war material which she herself cannot produce, while it would be certain to have a marked effect on the future policy of the Balkan States.

BELGIANS THANK AMERICA.

Grateful For Assistance Extended To Them.

London.—Herbert C. Hoover, chairman of the American Belgian Relief Committee, has received a telegram from Belgium asking him to express the thanks of that country to the United States for American assistance in Belgium's extremity. The message, which is from the Provincial Committee of Liege, reads as follows:

"Representatives of 900,000 Belgians in the province of Liege who have met together on the anniversary of the birthday of George Washington send these expressions of their most lively gratitude for the sympathy and the admirable generosity which you and members of the relief committee for Belgium have shown them.

"They beg you to communicate this expression for them to President Wilson and to send the heartfelt thanks of little Belgium to great America."

LOSS IN BRITISH OFFICERS.

1,394 Killed, 2,629 Wounded and 690 Reported Missing.

London.—From January 26 to February 16, 21 days, the British forces in France and Belgium had 84 officers killed and 151 wounded, while 25 were reported missing. This information is conveyed in the official officers' casualty list just issued. The list in its detail shows that the Coldstream Guards had five officers killed and five wounded in these three weeks. The other losses were rather evenly divided among the 70 different organizations now at the front. Added to previous officers' casualties the list shows that Great Britain since the beginning of the war has had 1,394 officers killed and 2,629 wounded, while 690 have been reported missing.

ANTI-SCREEN LAW VALID.

Decision Affects the Mineowners In Eastern Ohio.

Washington. — The Supreme Court affirmed the decision of the Federal District Court in Northern Ohio, holding constitutional the Ohio mine run on anti-screen law. The law required payment for mining on the weight of coal before screened. Mineowners in Eastern Ohio contended before the court they could not operate under the law.

OUTER TURKISH FORTS REDUCED

British and French Forces Continuing Their Operations.

BIG BATTLES DEVELOPING

Possible Entry On Italy and Roumania Into the War Is Being Again Discussed In Military Circles.

London.—The forts at the entrance of the Dardanelles have been reduced by the Franco-British fleet, according to an announcement made by the Admiralty.

The announcement states:

"The weather moderating, the bombardment of the outer forts of the Dardanelles was renewed on Thursday morning. After a period of long-range firing, close-range firing was adopted.

"All the forts at the entrance to the straits were successfully reduced. The operations are continuing."

The progress of the Allies' operations is significant in connection with the statement made by Sir Edward Grey, British Foreign Secretary, that Great Britain was in sympathy with Russia's operations for access to the sea through Turkey, and her hope of obtaining Constantinople as a result of the war with Turkey.

The possible entry of Italy and Roumania into the war is again being discussed in military and diplomatic circles.

Big Battles Developing.

The military experts are keeping their eyes on the operations along the eastern front, where battles of immense magnitude are developing.

The Germans, apparently having found the Russian fortress line around the East Prussian frontier too strong for them, are attempting to make their way to Warsaw from the northwest, and starting from Mlawa, which has been the base of several previous offensive operations, have penetrated as far as the important town of Przasnysz, which is almost directly north of the Polish capital. They claim to have captured there 10,000 prisoners and much war material.

The Germans also claim to have had some successes in North Poland, so that they must be in very strong force in that territory.

Russians On the Offensive.

On the Bzura and Rawka Rivers, directly west of Warsaw, from which direction the Germans early in the year made such desperate attempts to reach that city, the Russians are on the offensive, and according to the German report, have made a slight advance in the vicinity of Bolimow.

In Western Galicia and along the Carpathian ranges battles are still being fought without slackening, and thence through Eastern Galicia and Bukowina the Russian and Austro-German forces are fighting stubbornly.

In this war area the temperature remains unusually high for this time of the year, and the armies are contesting every foot of ground under the most unfavorable conditions, men, horses and guns sinking deep in the mud, which is only coated with ice.

The armies in the west are faced with the same difficulties, and as far as the Allies are concerned, they are confining themselves to a bombardment of the German positions along the coast and to offensive operations in the Champagne, the Argonne, on the heights of the Meuse and in the Vosges, where, on the higher ground they are not so seriously affected by the thaw.

There has been further contract between the Russians and the Turks in the Caucasus, where both claim to have been successful.

Hurling In Their Reserves.

London.—"Telegrams from Budapest report fierce fighting around Stanislau, Galicia," says Reuter's Venice correspondent.

"The Russians are said to be hurling reserves after reserves into the fighting line and to be defending their positions with the greatest stubbornness.

"The chief struggle is proceeding on the heights around the town, where the Russians have concentrated with the object of stopping the advance of the Austrian right, which threatens their whole front.

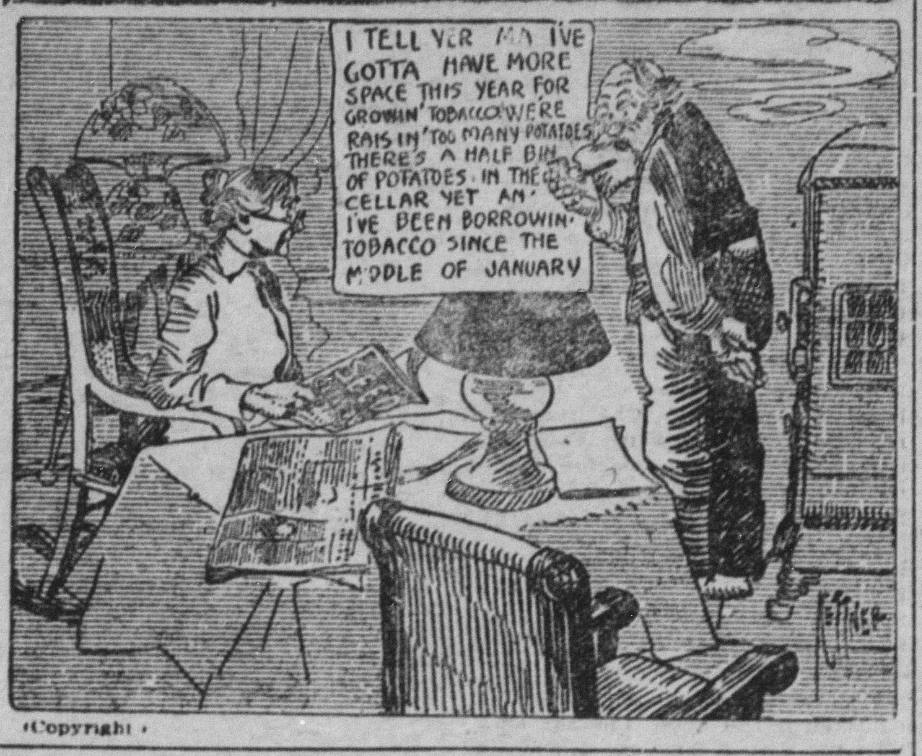
"In the Carpathians, near Wysskow, large Russian forces are making continuous attacks with fresh reserves."

WAR IN MOVING PICTURES.

But Films Will Be Used Only For Instruction Of Army.

Vienna.—Moving pictures taken at the battle fronts are being collected and shown before generals and staff officers of the Austrian and Hungarian armies. The Austrian War Ministry has set apart quarters in the building housing the ordinary war archives for the films. These later will form a part of the curriculum of the War Academy.

PLANNING THE GARDEN


I TELL YER MA I'VE GOTTA HAVE MORE SPACE THIS YEAR FOR GROWIN' TOBACCO. WE'RE RAISIN' TOO MANY POTATOES THERE'S A HALF BIN OF POTATOES IN THE CELLAR YET AN' I'VE BEEN BORROWIN' TOBACCO SINCE THE MIDDLE OF JANUARY
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MILLIONS TO BLOCK COMPETING ROADS

L. & N. Spent Million in Politics, Says Federal Board.

FEES TO STATE OFFICIALS

Payments Made To Officeholders In Tennessee—More Spent In Campaign To Prevent Change In Tax Laws.

Washington.—The Interstate Commerce Commission sent to the Senate its report on the investigation of the finances, rates and practices of the Louisville and Nashville and allied railroads. It charged the Louisville and Nashville with acquiring competiting lines and with carrying on for years at a cost of millions of dollars an elaborate political and publicity campaign to eliminate competition and influence public opinion.

Further inquiry, and, if possible, inspection of the railroad's correspondence, was said to be necessary. The report was written before the Supreme Court handed down its opinion holding that the commission was without power to force the company to submit its correspondence as well as its records and books to scrutiny.

Proof Of Monopoly Sought.

The investigation, authorized last spring by a Senate resolution introduced by Senator Lea, of Tennessee, was directed mainly to discover whether the Louisville and Nashville, through control of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway and smaller lines, had restrained competition throughout much of the territory served by those roads whether the one-time control of the Louisville and Nashville by the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad operated to the same and in the much wider field the two systems serve, and what amounts of money the Louisville and Nashville and its related roads have contributed to political activities and other efforts to fight competition.

The commission qualifies its declaration that the Louisville and Nashville has wilfully restrained competition by pointing out that in some instances its energies were directed to meet the competition of other large systems, and passes over the question of whether in all instances the course pursued was contrary to public interest.

"The various payments made on account of the Tennessee Railroad Assosiation by the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad and the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company," says the report, "were to a large extent made to State officials and Legislatures of Tennessee, municipal officers of Nashville, politicians, lobbyists and attorneys."

THREE MEN ON DEATH CHAIR.

All From New York and All Murdered Women.

Ossining, N. Y.—Three men, all from New York, were put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing Prison Friday for murdering women.

Oscar Vogt stabbed Mme. Agness Guth, a dressmaker, with whom he was infatuated.

Vincenzo Campenella, a counterfeiter, shot his wife, after a prison term, because, on his return, he alleged he found her faithless.

Robert Kane shot Anna Klein, because, he said, she caused him to lose his wife's affections.

1,035,000 ALLIES PRISONERS.

75 Per Cent. Held In Germany, the Remainder In Austria.

Frankford-on-the-Main, Germany, via London. — The Frankfurter Zeitung estimates that the prisoners of war in Germany and Austria now number 1,035,000. This number, it says, is divided as follows: Russians, 692,000; French, 237,000; Serbians, 50,000; Belgians, 37,000; British, 19,000. About 75 per cent. of the total is held by Germany.

WILSON'S WARNING TO BOTH SIDES

President's Note to Warring Powers Contains Threat.

MAY STOP TRADE WITH ALL

Proposal From United States Includes Offer To Supervise Distribution Of Foodstuffs To Civilians.

Washington. — Great Britain has submitted to her Allies, France and Russia, the proposals made by the United States government designed to end the menace to neutral commerce arising from the retaliatory measures of the European belligerents toward each other.

Briefly, the American proposals, which have been submitted to both England and Germaany, seek the elimination by Germany of the recently prescribed war zone around Great Britain and Ireland, with its dangers to neutral shipping through mines and submarine torpedoes, and the adoption by all the belligerents of a definite policy with regard to the shipment of foodstuffs destined for the civilian population of their enemies.

From such preliminary observations as American diplomatic officers abroad already have made, there is said to be some encouragement in the manner of the reception of the proposals at London. Germany is inclined toward an acceptance of the suggestions, it is understood, but upon the attitude of Great Britain depends the next move in the situation.

The strong opposition which the Scandinavian countries, Italy, Holland and other neutrals have assumed toward the retaliatory measures adopted by the belligerents is playing a considerable part in the situation. Although the American proposals have not been communicated to other neutrals, it may be stated that practically all the neutral governments of Europe are in accord with the Washington government.

Officials, while reticent about what has been said to Germany and Great Britain in the latest communications do not deny that the gravity of the whole situation has been made unmistakably clear. In some quarters the suggestion was made, but without confirmation from sources usually well informed, that an embargo on exports of foodstuffs from the United States to both the Allies and Germany was being considered as the next step in the event of an absolute rejection of the American plan for ameliorating the situation.

There is no concealment of the feeling in high official quarters that if the present tension over the attitude of the belligerents continues and any American lives are proved to have been lost as a result of their activities the Washington government may be called upon to abandon its present attitude of friendliness toward all the warring powers.

SWISS WANT AMERICAN LOAN.

Negotiations For $15,600,000 Reported In Progress.

Berne, Switzerland, via Paris.—There is excellent authority for the statement that negotiations are going on between the Swiss Government and representatives of American banks concerning a Swiss loan in the United States. The sum mentioned is 78,000,000 francs ($15,600,000) and the rate of interest about 6 per cent.

GIRL GUILTY OF MURDER.

Pauline Horton, 19 Years Old, Given Sentence Of Two Years.

Bristol, Tenn.—After being out 30 minutes the jury in the case of Pauline Horton, 19 years old, brought in a verdict of guilty of the murder of Merritt Walker Bond. Her punishment was fixed at two years in the penitentiary. She told the jury that she led a life of shame to support Bond and that when she found he was unfaithful to her she killed him.

FRENCH CRUISER SEIZES THE DACIA

American Steamer With Cotton Taken to Brest.

ALLIES TO STOP ALL SHIPS

Allies' Reply To the Submarine War Instituted By Germany — Even Cargoes To Neutral Countries To Be Held Up.

Paris (via London).—A French cruiser has arrested the American steamer Dacia in the channel and taken her to Brest. This announcement is officially made.

The steamship Dacia left Galveston for Rotterdam on January 31 with 11,000 bales of cotton to be transhipped to Bremen. It was fully expected at that time that the ship would be seized on her way to Rotterdam as Great Britain questioned the validity of the recent transfer of the Dacia from German to American registry. The Dacia touched at Norfolk on February 11 and then proceeded on her way.

TWO BILLIONS FOR WAR.

German Federal Council's Bill For Extraordinary Expenditures.

Berlin, via London.—The Federal Council adopted the preliminary budget estimates, including 10,042,000,000 marks ($2,510,500,000) for extraordinary expenditudes. This amount is for carrying on the war. The estimate of ordinary expenditures is 3,323,000,000 marks ($830,750,000).

Almost all of the amount to be devoted to the war will be raised by loans.

No redemption of war loans is provided for, as methods for such redemption can only be decided upon after the war. The Treasury bonds credit it fixed at 1,000,000,000 marks ($250,000,000).

The funds to provide for those killed in the war amounted at the beginning of February to 41,938,900 marks. The armament levy is estimated at 960,000,000 marks, of which, it is expected, two installments of 320,000,000 marks will be paid.

The increase in revenue in the ordinary budget is estimated at 25,906,450 marks and the increased expenditure at 180,369,000 marks.

ALL SHIPS TO BE SEIZED.

Allies Take Drastic Step To Starve Out Germany.

London.—Great Britain, France and their allies have advised neutral countries that they hold themselves at liberty to stop all shipping to and from Germany and the countries of her allies.

The declaration is not a reply to the American representations looking to a cessation of German submarine activity and the admission of food to Germany for civilians. The declaration will not affect cargoes shipped before the date of this advice to neutrals.

No special articles of commerce will be mentioned in the British-French declaration. Cotton and foodstuffs for example, will not be specified, but the terms will be general. The situation created will be entirely justified according to the English view, because of Germany's unprecedented action in attempting a submarine blockade regardless of danger to the crews and passengers of ships.

1,150,000 CASAULTIES.

German Figures On French Losses Are Astounding.

Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, L. I.—The Hamburger Nachrichten has published what purports to be an authentic list of French losses in the first six months of the war. The paper says this list was compiled by the French Ministry of War, and that it was not intended for publication as yet. It gives the number of dead as 250,000 and the wounded 700,000, of whom 400,000 are described as slightly hurt. In addition, 200,000 men have been reported missing.

1,500 SHELLS FALL IN RHEIMS.

Paris Says Cathedral Was Target and Was Shattered.

Paris, via London.—At the War Office the following statement was given out:

"The bombardment of Rheims was extremely violent. It lasted for a first period of six, followed by a period of five hours. Fifteen hundred shells were dropped in all quarters of the town. What remains of the Cathedral was made a special target and suffered seriously.

ALABAMA BARS CHILD LABOR.

Stringent Law Passed In State Used As Horrible Example.

Montgomery, Ala.—Governor Henderson signed the Child Labor bill, said to be the most stringent measure for protection of working children that has ever been passed by a Legislature in any State. It prohibits employment of children under 14 in any gainful occupation after October 1, 1915. Employment of children under 13 is prohibited.

THE NEWS TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS

Latest Happenings Gleaned From All Over the State.

LIVE NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Schaefferstown Bank Reopened—Allentown Girls Hurt While Roller Skating—New Hard Coal Deposit Found.

Shenandoah mining men were made jubilant when the James Brothers, individual operators, struck a rich 30-foot seam of anthracite coal at their stripping operations on Bear Ridge Mountain, at Gilberton. This, with the rich veins recently uncovered on Locust Mountain, gives a supply of the finest kind of anthracite coal for many years, adding new life to this region. The James Brothers will commence the erection of a larger breaker at once and employment will be given to thousands of men and boys.

Florence Rees, daughter of Prof. Will Rees, and his stepdaughter, Elizabeth Seem, had a miraculous escape from death at Allentown when they were run over by two colliding automobiles. They were roller skating on the sidewalk when the car of William E. Peters ran into that of Mrs. Carrie Wolfertz. The impact sent the autos across a yard into the side of a house and the young girls were painfully injured.

At Shenandoah while Engineman David Cooney, was pushing a trip of eight loaded mine cars at good speed on Packer No. 4 Colliery culm bank, he lost control of the locomotive on account of slippery rails. The cars and locomotive jumped off the tracks and plunged down an eighty-foot embankment. Cooney and Conductor Mader barely had time to jump and save their lives.

Without a word of advertising, and not even an official announcement, the First National Bank at Schaefferstown was reopened for business to the joy of residents of the town, and especially of depositors and stockholders, who had been in suspense ever since the morning of February 6 last, when Alvin Binner, the cashier, blew out his brains.

A million-dollar fire took place in Chester with no excitement. Without the ringing of fire bells or the sounding of the alarm whistle, securities, the face value of which aggregated $1,000,000, were burned beneath the boilers of the Beacon Electric Light Company's plant. All the securities had been fully paid and there was no further use for the documents.

Despondent because she had been lame since childhood and could not go about as her friends did, Miss Annie Crane, aged thirty-four years, of Easton, went into the house of her next door neighbor, Mrs. Rosa Brodie, while the family was absent, turned on the gas and attempted suicide. She was discovered in time, however, and revived.

While a Reading Railway passenger train was rushing toward Wetherill Junction, Joseph Zeigler, a telegraph operator, was frantically trying to move a five-ton boulder off the track which had rolled down from the mountain. When he failed, he ran to a nearby tower and flashed a warning over the wires, stopping the train in the nick of time.

Lancaster is stirred by the preliminary meetings incident to the coming of Evangelist Stough next month. For three weeks the preliminary work has been in progress and thousands of persons have been attending the neighborhood prayer services. The huge tabernacle was finished last week and the first service there will be held Sunday.

Carl Connors, awaiting his being taken to the Reformatory at Huntingdon, tried to end his life in a cell at the county prison. He took the phosphorous off two boxes of matches, placed them in water, and then drank the mixture. His condition is serious and he has been removed to the State Hospital.

Grangers and dairymen will unite with the State Dairy and Food officials in an attack on the proposition in the Steedle bill to reduce the cost of retail oleo licenses. The bill is in the hands of a committee which will be asked to give a hearing early in March. John A. McSparren, master of the State Grange, will appear to contest the bill.

Patrick Maroney, aged eighteen, a popular young athlete, who started to work only last Monday at the Bethlehem Foundary & Machine Company, was probably fatally injured when in trying to adjust a belting, his clothing caught in the machinery and he was whirled around a line shaft.

Katherine Boyle and Mary Kreegan, young women employed at Williamson Free Trades School, were held up and robbed by a masked man as they stood at the entrance to the school grounds waiting for a car to Media.

The Call of the Cumberlands

By Charles Neville Buck

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from Photographs of Scenes
in the Play

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CHAPTER XIII—Continued.

"Dear Samson: The war is on again. Tamarack Spicer killed Jim Asberry, and the Hollmans have killed Tamarack. Uncle Spicer is shot, but he may get well. There is nobody to lead the Souths. I am trying to hold them down until I hear from you. Don't come if you don't want to—but the gun is ready. With love,

"SALLY."

Slowly Samson South came to his feet. His voice was in the dead-level pitch which Wilfred had once before heard. His eyes were as clear and hard as transparent flint.

"I'm sorry to be of trouble, George," he said, quietly. "But you must get me to New York at once—by motor I must take a train south tonight."

"No bad news, I hope," suggested Lescott.

For an instant Samson forgot his four years of veneer. The century of prenatal barbarism broke out fiercely. He was seeing things far away—and forgetting things near by. His eyes blazed and his fingers twitched.

"Hell, no!" he exclaimed. "The war's on, and my hands are freed!"

For an instant, as no one spoke, he stood breathing heavily, then, wheeling, rushed toward the house as though just across its threshold lay the fight into which he was aching to hurl himself.

CHAPTER XIV.

Samson stopped at his studio and threw open an old closet where, from a littered pile of discarded background draperies, canvases and stretchers, he fished out a buried and dust-covered pair of saddlebags. They had long lain there forgotten, but they held the rusty clothes in which he had left Misery.

Samson had caught the fastest westbound express on the schedule. In thirty-six hours he would be at Hixon. There were many things which his brain must attack and digest in these hours. He must arrange his plan of action to its minutest detail, because he would have as little time for reflection, once he had reached his own country, as a wildcat flung into a pack of hounds.

From the railroad station to his home he must make his way—most probably fight his way—through thirty miles of hostile territory, where all the trails were watched. And yet, for the time, all that seemed too remotely unreal to hold his thoughts.

He took out Sally's letter, and read it once more. He read it mechanically and as a piece of news that had brought evil tidings. Then, suddenly, another aspect of it struck him—an aspect to which the shock of its reception had until this tardy moment blinded him. The letter was perfectly grammatical and penned in a hand of copybook roundness and evenness. The address, the body of the missive and the signature were all in one chirography. She would not have intrusted the writing of this letter to anyone else.

Sally had learned to write.

Moreover, at the end were the words, "with love." It was all plain now. Sally had never repudiated him. She was declaring herself true to her mission and her love.

"Good God!" groaned the man, in abjectly bitter self-contempt. His hand went involuntarily to his cropped head, and dropped with a gesture of self-doubting. He looked down at his tan shoes and silk socks. He rolled back his shirtsleeve and contemplated the forearm that had once been as brown and tough as leather. It was now the arm of a city man, except for the burning of one outdoor week. He was returning at the eleventh hour—stripped of the faith of his kinsmen, half-stripped of his faith in himself. If he were to realize the constructive dreams of which he had last night so confidently prattled to Adrienne, he must lead his people from under the blighting shadow of the feud.

He must reappear before his kinsmen as much as possible the boy who had left them—not the fop with new-fangled affectations. His eyes fell upon the saddlebags upon the floor of the Pullman and he smiled satirically. He would like to step from the train at Hixon and walk brazenly through the town in those old clothes, challenging every hostile glance. If they shot him down on the streets, as they certainly would do, it would end his questioning and his anguish of dilemma. He would welcome that, but it would, after all, be shirking the issue.

He must get out of Hixon and into his own country unrecognized. The lean boy of four years ago was the somewhat filled-out man now. The one concession that he had made to Paris life was the wearing of a closely cropped mustache. That he still wore—had worn it chiefly because he liked to hear Adrienne's humorous denunciation of it. He knew that, in his present guise and dress, he had an excellent chance of walking through the streets of Hixon as a stranger. And, after leaving Hixon, there was a mission to be performed at Jesse Purvy's store. As he thought of that mission a grim glint came to his pupils.

All journeys end, and as Samson passed through the tawdry cars of the local train near Hixon he saw several faces which he recognized, but they either eyed him in inexpressive silence or gave him the greeting of the "furriner."

As Samson crossed the toll bridge to the town proper he passed two brown-shirted militiamen, lounging on the rail of the middle span. They grinned at him, and, recognizing the outsider from his clothes, one of them commented:

"Ain't this the hell of a town?"

"It's going to be," replied Samson, enigmatically, as he went on.

Still unrecognized, he hired a horse at the livery stable, and for two hours rode in silence, save for the easy creaking of his stirrup leathers and the soft thud of hoofs.

The silence soothed him. The brooding hills lulled his spirit as a crooning song lulls a fretful child. Mile after mile unrolled forgotten vistas. Something deep in himself murmured:

"Home!"

It was late afternoon when he saw ahead of him the orchard of Purvy's place, and read on the store wall, a little more weather stained, but otherwise unchanged:

"Jesse Purvy, General Merchandise."

The porch of the store was empty, and as Samson flung himself from his saddle there was no one to greet him. This was surprising, since, ordinarily, two or three of Purvy's personal guardsmen loafed at the front to watch the road. Just now the guard should logically be doubled. Samson still wore his eastern clothes—for he wanted to go through that door unknown. As Samson South he could not cross its threshold either way. But when he stepped up on to the rough porch flooring no one challenged his advance. The yard and orchard were quiet from their front fence to the grisly stockade at the rear, and, wondering at these things, the young man stood for a moment looking about at the afternoon peace before he announced himself.

"The War's On and My Hands Are Freed!"

Yet Samson had not come to the stronghold of his enemy for the purpose of assassination. There had been another object in his mind—an utterly mad idea, it is true, yet so bold of conception that it held a ghost of promise. He had meant to go into Jesse Purvy's store and chat artlessly, like some inquisitive "furriner." He would ask questions which by their very impertinence might be forgiven on the score of a stranger's folly. But, most of all, he wanted to drop the casual information, which he should assume to have heard on the train, that Samson South was returning, and to mark, on the assassin leader, the effect of the news. In his new code it was necessary to give at least the rattler's warning before he struck, and he meant to strike. If he were recognized, well—he shrugged his shoulders.

But as he stood on the outside, wiping the perspiration from his forehead, for the ride had been warm, he heard voices within. They were loud and angry voices. It occurred to him that by remaining where he was he might gain more information than by hurrying in.

"I've done been your executioner for twenty years," complained a voice, which Samson at once recognized as that of Aaron Hollis, the most trusted of Purvy's personal guards. "I hain't never laid down on ye yet. Me an' Jim Asberry killed old Henry South. We laid fer his boy, an' would 'a' got him ef you'd only said ther word. I went inter Hixon an' killed Tam'rack Spicer, with soldiers all round me. There hain't no other damn fool in these mountings would 'a' took such a long chance es thet. I'm tired of it. They're a-goin' ter git me, an' I wants ter leave, an' you won't come clean with the price of a railroad ticket to Oklahoma. Now, damn yore stingy soul, I gits that ticket or I gits you!"

"Aaron, you can't scare me into doin' nothin' I ain't aimin' to do." The old baron of the vendetta spoke in a cold, stoical voice. "I tell ye I ain't quite through with ye yet. In due an' proper time I'll see that ye get yer ticket." Then he added, with conciliating softness: "We've been friends a long while. Let's talk this thing over before we fall out."

"Thar hain't nothin' to talk over," stormed Aaron. "Ye're jest tryin' ter kill time till the boys gits hyar, and then I reckon ye 'lows ter have me kilt like yer've had me kill them others. Hit ain't no use. I've done sent 'em away. When they gits back hyar, either you'll be in hell, or I'll be on my way outen the mountings."

Samson stood rigid. Here was the confession of one murderer, with no denial from the other. The truce was off. Why should he wait? Cataracts seemed to thunder in his brain, and yet he stood there, his hand in his coat pocket, clutching the grip of a magazine pistol. Samson South the old, and Samson South the new were writhing in the life-and-death grapple of two codes. Then, before decision came, he heard a sharp report inside, and the heavy fall of a body to the floor.

A wildly excited figure came plunging through the door, and Samson's left hand swept out and seized its shoulder in a sudden vise grip.

"Do you know me?" he inquired, as the mountaineer pulled away and crouched back with startled surprise and vicious frenzy.

"No, damn ye! Git outen my road!" Aaron thrust his cocked rifle close against the stranger's face. From its muzzle came the acrid stench of freshly burned powder. "Git outen my road afore I kills ye!"

"My name is Samson South."

Before the astounded finger on the trigger could be crooked, Samson's pistol spoke from the pocket, and, as though in echo, the rifle blazed, a little too late and a shade too high, over his head, as the dead man's arms went up.

Except for those two reports there was no sound. Samson stood still, anticipating an uproar of alarm. Now he should doubtless have to pay with his life for both the deaths, which would inevitably and logically be attributed to his agency. But, strangely enough, no clamor arose. The shot inside had been muffled, and those outside, broken by the intervening store, did not arouse the house. Purvy's bodyguard had been sent away by Hollis on a false alarm. Only the "womenfolks" and children remained indoors, and they were drowning with a piano any sounds that might have come from without.

Now Samson South stood looking down, uninterrupted, on what had been Aaron Hollis as it lay motionless at his feet. There was a powder-burned hole in the butternut shirt, and only a slender thread of blood trickled into the dirt-grimed cracks between the planks.

Samson turned to the darkened doorway. Inside was emptiness, except for the other body, which had crumpled forward and face down across the counter. A glance showed that Jesse Purvy would no more fight back the coming of death. He was quite unarmed.

Samson paused only for a momentary survey. His score was clean. He would not again have to agonize over the dilemma of old ethics and new. Tomorrow the word would spread like wildfire along Misery and Crippleshin that Samson South was back and that his coming had been signalized by these two deaths. The fact that he was responsible for only one—and that in self-defense—would not matter. They would prefer to believe that he had invaded the store and killed Purvy and that Hollis had fallen in his master's defense at the threshold. Samson went out, still meeting no one, and continued his journey.

Dusk was falling when he hitched his horse in a clump of timber, and, lifting his saddlebags, began climbing to a cabin that sat back in a thicketed cove. He was now well within South territory and the need of masquerade had ended.

The cabin had not for years been occupied. Its rooftree was leaning askew under rotting shingles. The doorstep was ivy-covered, and the stones of the hearth were broken. But it lay well hidden and would serve his purposes.

Shortly, a candle flickered inside before a small hand mirror. Scissors and safety razor were for a while busy. The man who entered in impeccable clothes emerged fifteen minutes later—transformed. There appeared under the rising June crescent a smooth-faced native, clad in stained store clothes, with rough woolen socks showing at his brogan tops, and a battered felt hat drawn over his face. No one who had known the Samson South of four years ago would fail to recognize him now. And the strangest part, he told himself, was that he felt the old Samson.

At a point where a hand bridge crossed the skirting creek, the boy dismounted. Ahead of him lay the stile where he had said good-by to Sally.

He was going to her, and nothing else mattered.

He lifted his head and sent out a long, clear whippoorwill call, which quavered on the night much like the other calls in the black hills around him. After a moment he went nearer, in the shadow of a poplar, and repeated the call.

Then the cabin door opened. Its jamb framed a patch of yellow candle light, and, at the center, a slender silhouetted figure, in a fluttering, eager attitude of uncertainty. The figure turned slightly to one side, and, as it did so, the man saw clasped in her right hand the rifle, which had been his mission, bequeathed to her in trust. She hesitated, and the man, invisible in the shadow, once more imitated the bird note, but this time it was so low and soft that it seemed the voice of a whispering whippoorwill.

Then, with a sudden glad little cry, she came running with her old fleet grace down to the road.

Samson had vaulted the stile and stood in the full moonlight. As he saw her coming he stretched out his arms and his voice broke from his throat in a half-hoarse, passionate cry:

"Sally!"

It was the only word he could have spoken just then, but it was all that was necessary. It told her everything.

For a time there was no speech, but to each of them it seemed that their tumultuous heartbeating must sound above the night music, and the telegraphy of heartbeats tells enough.

But they had much to say to each other, and, finally, Samson broke the silence:

"Did ye think I wasn't a-coming back, Sally?" he questioned, softly. At that moment he had no realization that his tongue had ever fashioned smoother phrases. And she, too, who had been making war on crude idioms, forgot, as she answered:

"Ye done said ye was comin'." Then she added a happy lie: "I knowed plumb shore ye'd do hit."

After a while she drew away and said, slowly:

"Samson, I've done kept the old rifle-gun ready fer ye. Ye said ye'd need it bad when ye come back, an' I've took care of it."

She stood there holding it, and her voice dropped almost to a whisper as she added:

"It's been a lot of comfort to me sometimes, because it was your'n. I knew if ye stopped keerin' fer me ye wouldn't let me keep it—an' as long as I had it I—" She broke off, and the fingers of one hand touched the weapon caressingly.

After a long while they found time for the less wonderful things.

"I got your letter," he said, seriously, "and I came at once." As he began to speak of concrete facts he dropped again into ordinary English and did not know that he had changed his manner of speech.

For an instant Sally looked up into his face, then with a sudden laugh, she informed him:

"I can say 'isn't' instead of 'hain't,' too. How did you like my writing?"

He held her off at arm's length, and looked at her pridefully, but under his gaze her eyes fell and her face flushed with a sudden diffidence and a new shyness of realization. She wore a calico dress, but at her throat was a soft little bow of ribbon. She was no longer the totally unself-conscious wood nymph, though as natural and instinctive as in other days. Suddenly she drew away from him a little, and her hands went slowly to her breast and rested there. She was fronting a great crisis, but, in the first flush of joy she had forgotten it. She had spent lonely nights struggling for rudiments; she had sought and fought to refashion herself, so that, if he came, he need not be ashamed of her. And now he had come and, with a terrible clarity and distinctness, she realized how pitifully little she had been able to accomplish. Would she pass muster? She stood there before him, frightened, self-conscious and palpitating, then her voice came in a whisper:

"Samson, dear, I'm not holdin' you to any promise. Those things we said were a long time back. Maybe we'd better forget 'em now and begin all over again."

But again he crushed her in his arms and his voice rose triumphantly:

"Sally, I have no promises to take back, and you have made none that I'm ever going to let you take back—not while life lasts!"

Her laugh was the delicious music of happiness.

"I don't want to take them back," she said. Then, suddenly, she added importantly: "I wear shoes and stockings now, and I've been to school a little. I'm awfully—awfully ignorant, Samson, but I've started, and I reckon you can teach me."

His voice choked. Then, her hands strayed up, and clasped themselves about his head.

"Oh, Samson," she cried, as though someone had struck her, "you've cut yore ha'r."

"It will grow again," he laughed. But he wished that he had not had to make that excuse. Then, being honest, he told her all about Adrienne Lescott—even about how, after he believed that he had been outcast by his uncle and herself, he had had his moments of doubt. Now that it was all so clear, now that there could never be doubt, he wanted the woman who had been so true a friend to know the girl whom he loved. He loved them both, but was in love with only one. He wanted to present to Sally the friend who had made him, and to the friend who had made him the Sally of whom he was proud. He wanted to tell Adrienne that now he could answer her question—that each of them meant to the other exactly the same thing; they were friends of the rarer sort, who had for a little time been in danger of mistaking their comradeship for passion.

As they talked, sitting on the stile, Sally held the rifle across her knees. Except for their own voices and the soft chorus of night sounds, the hills were wrapped in silence—a silence as soft as velvet.

"I learned some things down there at school, Samson," said the girl, slowly, "and I wish—I wish you didn't have to use this."

"Jim Asberry is dead," said the man gravely.

"Yes," she echoed, "Jim Asberry's dead." She stopped there. Yet, her sign completed the sentence as though she had added, "but he was only one of several. Your vow went farther."

After a moment's pause, Samson added:

"Jesse Purvy's dead."

The girl drew back, with a frightened gasp. She knew what this meant, or thought she did.

"Jesse Purvy!" she repeated. "Oh, Samson, did ye—?" She broke off, and covered her face with her hands.

"No, Sally," he told her. "I didn't have to." He recited the day's occurrences, and they sat together on the stile, until the moon had sunk to the ridge top.

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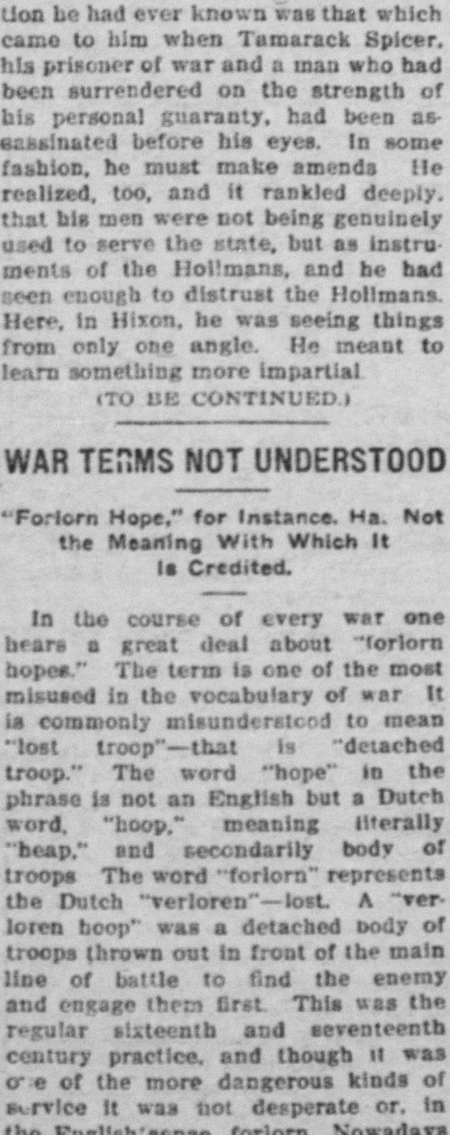
Capt. Sidney Callomb, who had been dispatched in command of a militia company to quell the trouble in the mountains, should have been a soldier by profession. All his enthusiasms were martial.



"I Have No Promises to Take Back."

The deepest sorrow and mortification he had ever known was that which came to him when Tamarack Spicer, his prisoner of war and a man who had been surrendered on the strength of his personal guaranty, had been assassinated before his eyes. In some fashion, he must make amends. He realized, too, and it rankled deeply, that his men were not being genuinely used to serve the state, but as instruments of the Hollmans, and he had seen enough to distrust the Hollmans. Here, in Hixon, he was seeing things from only one angle. He meant to learn something more impartial.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

WAR TERMS NOT UNDERSTOOD

"Forlorn Hope," for Instance, Has Not the Meaning With Which It Is Credited.

In the course of every war one hears a great deal about "forlorn hopes." The term is one of the most misused in the vocabulary of war. It is commonly misunderstood to mean "lost troop"—that is "detached troop." The word "hope" in the phrase is not an English but a Dutch word, "hoop," meaning literally "heap," and secondarily body of troops. The word "forlorn" represents the Dutch "verloren"—lost. A "verloren hoop" was a detached body of troops thrown out in front of the main line of battle to find the enemy and engage them first. This was the regular sixteenth and seventeenth century practice, and though it was one of the more dangerous kinds of service it was not desperate or, in the English sense, forlorn. Nowadays much the same work is done by the detached bodies of cavalry which are thrown out before the main line to find the enemy.

"Capitulation" is another term of war, which is very loosely used. It does not mean surrender, but surrender on terms; in fact, it means the terms, not the surrender. It is from the Latin "capitulum" or "heading" (from which is derived our word "chapter"), and a capitulation is a formal treaty of surrender drawn up under a series of headings or chapters, embodying the terms on each point.

Woman's Logic.

You sometimes wonder about the logic of the feminist mind.

A man was to meet his wife at her office at one o'clock to take luncheon with her. He was 20 minutes late. She had gone out.

He sat down and waited. At 1:30 she arrived.

"What are you doing here?" she asked.

"I'm waiting for you."

"Didn't you know I wouldn't come back after I'd given you up and gone out?"

"But you did come back, didn't you? You are back now, aren't you?"

"Yes, but you might have known that when I did come back I would have had my lunch, and there would be no use in waiting to have it with me."

"Well, have you had it?"

"No."—Denver News.

Japanese a Patient People.

Impatience among the Japanese is a thing you will rarely observe as you travel through their strange and beautiful country. If, on the other hand, you yourself, in touring Japan, might upon occasion grow somewhat impatient, you will only become the quiet laughing stock—behind your back—of the little Japs themselves. An hour, or even a day, more or less in this oriental country is of little account, and matters cannot be made to move any the quicker because of any irritability.

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CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

United Evangelical—No service.

Reformed—Tusseyville, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon.

Lutheran—Georges Valley, morning; Union, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon. Preaching by Prof. John T. Marshman.

Methodist—Centre Hall, morning; Sprucetown, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening. The last service before Conference.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announces that James E. Harter of Penn township is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, on the Democratic ticket, subject to the rules governing the Primary Election.

LOCALS

Get busy and get business.

This is March, the month of storm and public sales.

John Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Potter, on Saturday left for Phoenixville where he will be employed by D. C. Keller.

Northumberland's new postmaster is Robert Lesher, and John C. Barclay has been appointed to a similar position in Clearfield.

James Lingle returned to Mercersburg Academy Wednesday after having been at home for two weeks, during which time he was afflicted with mumps.

William Close was re-appointed postmaster at Oak Hall station. He served as postmaster at that place for twenty-five years. Mr. Close also conducts a general store.

The Y. P. B. will meet at the home of Miss Savilla Rearick, the president, this (Thursday) evening, instead of in their hall. Dues are payable at this time. Refreshments will be served.

The heavy lumber for the J. Spigelmeyer building in Millheim will be sawed from a timber tract along the Millheim Narrows by Mr. Spigelmeyer, the mill having already been placed in position.

Dr. G. W. Hosterman departed Wednesday morning for the Pacific coast. He will stop at several points enroute, with a brother and a sister, thereby reli-ving to an extent the monotony of travel.

Among those from the north who are enjoying the southern climate is James C. Gilliland of New Bloomfield, who is now in St. Petersburg, Florida. Mr Gilliland was formerly a resident of Potters Mills.

Burdine Butler of Howard, who for a month or more traveled over a number of the western states with a view of finding a place for permanent residence, returned to Howard last week and has decided to stay where he is.

H. C. Breon & Co., the Millheim auto dealers, have commenced making spring deliveries of cars, having sold a Ford to H. B. Mench, Millheim. The firm also received a Reo touring car, which will be used for demonstrating purposes.

S. S. Brown, for many years proprietor of the Milroy hotel, after April first, will conduct the Millheim hotel, having leased the same from his brother-in-law, Isaac Shawver. Mr. Shawver is obliged to retire on account of his health.

Prof. John T. Marshman, who filled the appointments in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, delivered highly interesting sermons and so well pleased his audience that Dr. Schuyler arranged to have him come here again next Sunday. For the hour of service see the regular schedule.

Rev. Samuel Moody of Holidaysburg, who regularly fills appointments at Martinsburg and Duncansville, was in town the beginning of the week, a guest at the Presbyterian Manse. Rev. Moody held services on the local Presbyterian charge last spring, and has been here to see Dr. Schuyler on several occasions since then.

The following item appeared in a late issue of the Altoona Times: A farwell reception in honor of Mrs. Mary Shoop, who has been visiting in this city, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wehrley, 1502 Eighteenth street. Instrumental music and vocal selections made up the program during the evening, and at a seasonable hour refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs Mary Shoop, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wehrley, Mrs. Carey Stevens, Mrs Carl Hinton, and Misses Grace Mills, Minnie Smith, Ethel Brant, Emma Hinton, Master Robert Stevens, Mr. Ralph Wolf, Mr. Rearick, Bruce Wolf and Gerald Wehrley.

KILLED BY FALLING LIMB.

William Ruble of Linden Hall Struck Down While Cutting Trees in Woods—Found Unconscious Several Hours Later and Died Same Evening.

William Ruble, a farm hand, died at the home of Miss Bettie Kimport, a short distance east of Linden Hall, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, from the effects of being struck on the head by a falling limb of a tree while cutting timber in the mountain a short distance from his home.

The facts in the fatal accident are these: Mr. Ruble, who for the past four years had been employed by Miss Kimport, who owns a farm and some mountain land near Linden Hall, left home about nine o'clock for the purpose of cutting a few logs. George Markle, a neighbor, had planned to go with him, but owing to other work requiring his attention, did not do so. Mr. Ruble started for the woods alone and when he failed to put in his appearance at the noon hour, Miss Kimport became uneasy, but did not entertain any grave fears until about two o'clock, when she went to the home of her cousin, John Kimport, living nearby, asking him to make a trip to the mountain and ascertain the reason for his failure to come home. Arriving on the scene, Mr. Kimport found the man lying on the ground in an unconscious condition. A hasty examination revealed the fact that his condition was critical and hurrying home Mr. Kimport secured the help of others and removed the man to his home. The unfortunate man, however, never regained consciousness and passed away that evening.

That the accident had occurred early in the day was apparent from the fact that he had cut only two trees and no doubt was caused by the falling of the second tree onto another, knocking a limb from it which dealt the blow to Mr. Ruble, badly crushing his head.

Deceased was thirty-five years of age and was not married. Funeral services will be held this (Thursday) morning in the Union church at Tusseyville and burial in the cemetery connected therewith, Rev. R. R. Jones officiating.

Horse Sale at Millheim, Friday, 12 h.

F. O. Hosterman, the Millheim horse dealer, started for Illinois on Tuesday, where he will buy up an express load of horses which he will dispose of in the Millheim market Friday of next week, March 12th. Mr. Hosterman is after the best stock that can be bought and the load will include draft horses, brood mares and general purpose horses. Farmers or others looking for No. 1 horse flesh will be pleased with this extra good load of western animals. Sale will commence at twelve o'clock sharp.

Marriage Licenses.

Harvey Bechtol, Bellefonte
Mary Gettig, Pleasant Gap

Harry Homan, Aaronsburg
Mabelle Feidler, Madisonburg

John Gueno, Moshannon
Margaret Maner, Moshannon

Steve Canter, Plato
Lizzie Roskey, Plato

Off for Eastern Cities.

Harry Herr, proprietor of Herr's Department Store, Millheim, will leave for the eastern cities—Philadelphia and New York—to select his spring and summer stock. He expects to purchase the most up-to-date style of ready-to-wear men's, boys', women's, misses' and children's clothing. He will be gone for about a week or ten days.

Purchase New Ford Car

A new five-passenger Ford touring car was purchased by the Bartholomews beginning of this week. The machine was purchased from the Boozer-Fetterolf agency, who represent the Breon agency of Millheim. This is the second Ford car the Bartholomews possess and both will be put into service.

Celebration, July 4th.

The Centre Hall lodge of Odd Fellows has decided to prepare for a big celebration on July 4th. All sorts of games, a fantastic parade, with fireworks and a festival in the evening, are some of the features planned for the day.

Linden Hall

Tuesday morning Alvin Johnsonbaugh, accompanied by George Bohn, started to Minnesota where they expect to work on a farm next summer.

Guy and Daniel Wieland started to drive to Lebanon county Tuesday by way of Lewistown. The remainder of the family will leave in about two weeks for their new home.

Mrs. Wallace White, who has been sick for some weeks, is improving.

Mrs James Osman and little granddaughter, Elmira Osman, are visiting friends in Harrisburg and Sunbury.

Mrs. Grant Charles and son Eugene and Mrs. William Stover spent a few days with Mrs. Steven's mother, Mrs. Mary Page.

William Kern has rented one of the Baker farms now tenanted by Frank Thorp and will move there the 1st of April.

Congress adjourns today (Thursday.)

BOALSBURG.

Harry Stuart of Sandy Ridge made a short visit to Boalsburg

There will be no service in the Reformed church on Sunday.

David Stuart of Bellevue was an over Sunday visitor at Boalsburg.

Mrs. Margaret Riley is visiting at State College.

The civic club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. F. Zechman on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Norman Slagle of Flemington arrived at the N. W. Meyer home on Monday, where he will be engaged as a helper on the farm.

Alvan Johnstonbaugh and George Bohn departed on Tuesday for Dover, Minnesota, where they expect to have employment for the summer.

Guy and Daniel Wieland departed Tuesday morning for their new home in Lebanon county. They expect to make the trip in three days. They had a fine team, a new wagon and a buggy.

A reduction sale is now on at the millinery store of Misses Rhoda Harrison and Leona Wieland. As the J. M. Wieland family expect to move to Lebanon county in a few weeks, the ladies are obliged to dispose of their entire stock, consisting of velvets, silks, ribbons, laces, etc. All new goods. Come and examine their goods and purchase at your own price. adv.

Among the relatives from a distance who attended the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Keller last Wednesday were Dr. U. S. Grant Keller of Warren, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Keller and Mrs. William Keller, of Pleasant Gap; George Keller and family of State College; Mr. and Mrs. David Keller of Philadelphia; Jared and Paul Keller of Altoona; Harry Keller, of Bellefonte; William Dale and son, of Pine Grove Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Dale, Oak Hall; Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Tressler, of Pine Hall; Mrs. J. W. Conley, Mrs. Katharine Dale and Miss Mollie Hoffer, of Centre Hall.

The funeral services of John A. Fortney were held in the Reformed church last Thursday. His pastor, Rev. S. C. Stover, conducted the service and was assisted by Rev. J. I. Stonecypher. There was a large attendance. Among relatives who were present from a distance were his brother, James Fortney with wife and son, of Amboy, Ill; his aunt, Mrs. Samuel Grenoble, and son, George, of Pine Hall; Dr. and Mrs. Tinsley, Miss Mardie Wagner, Charles and Curtis Wagner, of Altoona; David Dennis, Misses Sue and Sadie Danley, of Pine Grove Mills; Mrs. Ella Moore and son Edward, of State College; Mrs. (Dr.) McCormick of Hublersburg; Mrs. Frank Bohn, from near Coburn; the Bradford families from Centre Hall, and a number of other relatives from Bellefonte and vicinity. Interment was made in the Union cemetery.

Aaronsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Hosterman and children from Coburn were Sunday visitors at the home of his brother-in-law, John Heinz.

Merchant James Lenker of Lemont spent a few days with his aged mother, Mrs. L. K. Lenker, and sister.

Harry Call from State College came down to see after his aged father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Keener. While here he also called on his other many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weaver of Salona, who came here to attend the funeral of Mrs Henry Roush, the latter's mother, are being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Roush.

In these days quilting bees are fashionable. Mrs. E G Mingle and Mrs. Calvin Gilbert were among those to entertain ladies who swarmed about quilting frames. Of course they were given elaborate dinners and suppers.

Miss Nellie Burd returned from Altoona. Her trip there was not all pleasure, for she had the misfortune to fall down a stairway, and the result was a broken bone in her right arm. The fracture is mending nicely since her return.

Tripping and falling over a wooden pin, Mrs. Elmira H. Winters sustained a severely bruised shoulder. She had come here to attend the sale held by the William Haffley heirs, and after the accident was taken to her home at Rebersburg by Dr. G S Frank.

Georges Valley.

James Barger and L. Maynard Barger made a business trip to Millheim, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ungard of Lock Haven spent a few days with Mrs. Ungard's sister, Mrs. H. M. Lingle.

Mr. and Mrs J. C. Reeder and daughter, Miss Laura, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Faust at Centre Hill.

D. W. Rearick killed nine fine porkers on Monday.

Miss Anna Lingle of Sober spent Sunday at the home of C. J. Ripka; T. M. Davis was also a Sunday visitor at the same place.

F. M. Ackerman returned to his home on Saturday, having completed the interior of the new Lutheran church at Milroy.

The public sale season is now on, and free lunches are the order of the day.

Killed at Standard Steel Works.

James Stiffler, 30 years old, of Yeagertown, a cousin of W. F. Colyer, near Centre Hall, sustained injuries in the boring mills at the Standard Steel Works Monday morning of last week that resulted in his death at the local hospital at three o'clock the same day. The young man was engaged in moving some cases which were to be loaded on a string of cars for shipment; the cars were spotted for loading by an electric go-devil and it was in pushing them along the track that Stiffler was knocked down by a car and one wheel ran up his left leg crushing it to a pulp and inflicting internal injuries to lower portions of the abdomen. The cars were moving slowly and the instant the cranesman discovered that Stiffler had been caught the power was reversed and the wheel pulled off his body and he was hurried to the hospital. The deceased was a popular young man and had affiliated with the Lutheran church about a year ago. He was also a member of the P. O. S. of A. and is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stiffler, two sisters and one brother. The funeral services took place from the parental home, Main street, Yeagertown, Thursday afternoon, Rev. A. E. Spangler officiating.

Time to Swat the Fly.

Uncle Sam is waging a relentless war on the deadly housefly and in a late bulletin prepared by the Department of Agriculture, valuable information is given on the best means of combating this deadly pest. The most effective way of exterminating the fly, according to the bulletin, is to eradicate its breeding places. The breeding season of the fly begins early in March and continues throughout the spring and summer months. All dirt should be removed from the premises, stables cleaned and decaying vegetables destroyed.

The fly has rightly been called the undertaker's traveling salesman, and in addition to his regular line of "typhoid bugs", he carries a side line of tuberculosis, Asiatic Cholera and other disease germs. Now is the time to "swat the fly."

Would Pension School Teachers.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature providing for pensions for superannuated and incapacitated school teachers. A plan for teachers to pay graduate amounts of their salaries beginning next June is made. The first payment is to be four per cent., this amount to be reduced after the first few years. Teachers may be retired at seventy or after they have served thirty years, twenty of which must have been in teaching Pennsylvania schools.

Mr. Kessler in Eastern Cities.

A. Kessler, proprietor of Millheim's popular department store, is in New York, the style metropolis, purchasing the latest style wearing apparel for men, women and children. Watch for his ad. in a later issue.

The auditors' statement showing the financial condition of the county, appears in supplement form in this issue.

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Receipts and Expenditures

— OF —

Centre County, Penn'a., 1914.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR CENTRE COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1914

RECEIPTS.	
To balance on hand Jan. 5, 1914	$14674 85
To amount from Commissioners	34959 25
To amount from Collectors	77475 17
To amount from Unseated Lands	3738 08
To amount from Liquor Licenses	655 50
TOTAL	$131502 85

EXPENDITURES	
Appropriation account	$ 2707 10
Asylum Hospital account	2246 72
Assessors' account	5074 56
Bellefonte Hospital	365 00
Bellefonte Overseers of Poor	209 71
Bridge account	2482 57
Bridge and Road Views	678 40
County Commissioners' account	174 15
Commonwealth Cost account	3261 21
Court House and Jail account	2351 58
Court expense	6987 00
Commonwealth of Penna account	450 00
County Auditors' account	446 60
Court Officers' account	7685 00
Constables' account	931 01
C. A. S. of Penna account	74 73
Election account	8337 08
Foreman, D. R., account	313 59
Glenn Mills School account	643 29
Huntingdon Reformatory account	316 80
Insurance account	306 00
Inquest account	84 61
Juvenile Court account	324 79
Jury Commissioners' account	364 56
Janitor and Fireman account	1200 00
Loan account	25884 33
Lunacy account	47 00
Miscellaneous account	2069 35
Mischarge on 1913 Dog account	1178 82
Printing account	1125 53
Registrars' account	417 75
Sinking Fund account	2200 00
Stationery and Supplies account	1151 59
Sheriff A. B. Lee's account	3751 88
Scalp account	5096 50
State Highway account	5332 25
Soldiers' Burial and Headstones	1880 00
Telephone account	520 05
Western Penitentiary account	510 01
By balance	32321 73
	$131502 85

Balance in hands of John D. Miller, treasurer, Jan. 4, 1915 ... $ 32321 73

Wm. H. Noll, Jr., D. A. Grove, and Jacob Woodring, County Commissioners, in account with the County of Centre, for the year 1914.

ELECTION EXPENSES

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

	Primary	November
Advertising elections	$ 24 20	$ 576 00
Printing ballots	538 85	983 50
Preparing lists of voters and ballots	124 57	
Election supplies	231 20	108 91
Commissioners delivering ballots	56 94	59 87
Election officers' pay and rent	2716 66	2745 78
Tabulating returns	75 00	40 00
Senatorial and Congressional return judges		55 60
	$3767 42	$4569 66
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		$8337 08

COMMISSIONERS' EXPENSE ACCOUNT

Viewing and inspecting county bridges	$ 87 16
Erie state convention	76 99
Assessment of state convention	10 00
	$174 15

SOLDIERS' BURIAL ACCOUNT

Aaron Meyers	$50 00
David Rossman	50 00
George Koon	50 00
F. F. Wetzel	50 00
Jesse Kreamer	50 00
Philip Walker	50 00
John Uzzle	50 00
David H. Weaver	50 00
John Martz	50 00
David Love	50 00
Joseph S. Harpster	50 00
Thomas Palmer	50 00
Merty J. Hayes	50 00
Isaac Thomas	50 00
Hezekiah Sproul	50 00
Harry I. Miller	50 00
William Kunes	50 00
John H. Reed	50 00
Lyman H. Fowler	50 00
Andrew Kreamer	50 00
W. A. Ishler	50 00
Owen L. Johnston	50 00
George Markel	50 00
Patrick Fitzsimmons	50 00
L. C. Bullock	50 00
H. N. Twitmeyer	50 00
Charles Bierley	50 00
George DeGarmo	50 00
32 headstones for deceased soldiers	480 00
	$1880 00

COURT HOUSE AND JAIL EXPENSES

	Court House	Jail
Electric light and supplies	$ 317 97	$159 24
Fuel	342 65	342 64
Hauling ashes	11 00	9 25
Water rent	52 70	77 37
Plumbing and repairs	98 90	15 25
Soap	37 97	28 10
Brooms and brushes	12 49	8 20
Clothing		49 76
Repairing roof and spouting	447 02	18 53
Lumber and repairs		4 70
Hardware	34 46	26 80
Repairing furniture	2 00	14 00
Tonsorial work		2 00
Repairing chimney	76 90	
Repairs for heating system	43 85	
Laundry	13 16	
Repairing clocks	28 00	
Sundry repairs	11 22	
Disinfectants	39 50	10 00
Mops	2 70	
Metal polish	5 00	
Table of Act of 1913	1 00	
Ice	5 25	
Grass seed	2 00	
	$1585 74	$765 84

COURT EXPENSES

Court reporting	$1159 43
Court officers' pay	484 00
Grand jurors' pay	849 58
Traverse jurors' pay	4103 54
Attorneys' fees in criminal cases	250 00
Boarding jurors	53 95
Surveys	11 50
Expert testimony	75 00
	$6987 00

COMMONWEALTH COST ACCOUNT

Sundry witness fees	$2393 78
Constables' costs	542 13
Justices' costs	325 30
	$3261 21

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

John D. Miller, 164 unseated land deeds	$ 511 68
D. R. Foreman, reporting and satisfying judgments	91 80
D. R. Foreman, decree of court proceedings	7 00
Wm. Wood, hospital care of Fred Cummins	18 00
W. Francis Speer, reporting 505 mortgages	50 50
S. H. Hoy, crier unseated land sale	3 00
F. E. Naginey, burial of infant	5 00
J. Fred Noll, clerical work for commissioners' office	[illegible]
W. M. Walker, preparing tax duplicates for commissioners' office	165 00
C. D. Hoffer, preparing tax duplicates for commissioners' office	32 50
J. Thomas Mitchell, preparing tax duplicates for commissioner's office	25 00
G. W. Romberger, unseated land record	25 00
Anna H. Nolan, tax duplicates	12 60
Lucilla Wetzel, tax duplicates	11 60
Wm. Irvin, killing two dogs	2 00
Philipsburg special election	199 91
Stamps and notices for tax collectors	153 81
Overpaid taxes refunded	70 23
Freight, express, and drayage	46 10
Postage stamps for commissioners' office	70 08
Postage stamps for D. O. Etters, Co. Superintendent	29 53
Exporting indigent aliens	34 98
Burial of aliens	179 50
Clothing for paupers and aliens	5 98
Hospital care of alien	7 00
	2069 35

BRIDGE ACCOUNT

Presqueisle street bridge, material and repairs	$1418 59
Howard bridge, material and repairs	142 80
Potter township bridge, material and repairs	283 90
Milesburg bridge, material and repairs	33 16
Karthaus bridge, material and repairs	276 56
Philipsburg inter-county bridge, material and repairs	25 00
Peale bridge, material and repairs	12 99
Unionville bridge, material and repairs	247 50
Spring Mills bridge, material and repairs	30 29
Winburne bridge, material and repairs	10 28
Eagleville bridge, material and repairs	1 50
	$2482 57

BRIDGE AND ROAD VIEWS

Ivan Walker, stenographer	$ 49 30
J. T. Lucas, services	33 30
John A. Woodward, services	44 00
C. B. Neff, services	25 30
John J. Bower, services	173 50
H. B. Hering, services	81 40
J. H. Wetzel, services	51 60
John A. Way, services	84 50
W. W. Fleming, services	29 50
H. H. Farber, services	18 20
Joseph Reese, services	7 00
W. M. Walker, services	20 30
Lee Poorman, services	3 00
C. H. Smull, services	41 80
Christ. Decker, services	15 70
	$ 678 40

STATIONERY, BLANKS AND OFFICE SUPPLIES

Herbert Stover	$ 3 12
Wm. G. Johnston & Co.	712 45
Wm. Mann & Co.	124 41
Repairs and supplies for adding machine and typewriter	72 66
Remington Typewriter Co.	50 00
Baltimore Office Supply Co.	40 05
J. W. Todd & Co., check writer	34 30
Mary J. Hunt, office supplies	31 00
Wm. Murphy & Sons	26 50
Keystone Envelope Co.	15 44
Clark Printing Co.	6 00
C. Spiro M'f'g Co., ½ doz. waste baskets	6 90
Index Book and Stationery Store	13 85
Columbia Carbon Co.	8 00
H. C. Dunmire Co.	6 91
	$ 1151 59

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT

(*) John M. Shugert, premiums, county fair	$1000 00
(*) Geo. L. Goodhart, premiums, grange fair	178 75
D. O. Etters, Co. Supt., institute	200 00
A. C. Mingle, Treas. Directors' Association	74 35
Mary Meek, Civic Club	4 00
James H. Weaver, Boggs Twp., joint bridge	100 00
Milford Pletcher, Howard Twp., joint bridge	100 00
A. A. Stover, Haines Twp., for bridge	850 00
Memorial appropriations	200 00
	$2707 10

Note—The above items marked (*) are subject to the approval of the Auditor General.

JUVENILE COURT EXPENSES

Sundry costs, Bessie Maffit case	$ 28 61
Sundry costs, Lucy Ryan's children	20 62
Sundry costs, Hazel Walter case	7 40
Sundry court officers' pay, Carson and Garbrick	4 00
Ambrose M. Schmidt, conveying prisoners to Glenn Mills	71 76
Ambrose M. Schmidt, conveying children to Millersville	36 40
Ambrose M. Schmidt, salary, probation officer	150 00
D. R. Foreman, costs David and Lawrence McCullough	6 00
	$ 324 79

ASYLUM ACCOUNT

Maintaining sundry inmates, Danville hospital	$1803 50
Maintaining sundry inmates, Warren hospital	365 00
Maintaining sundry inmates, Wernersville hospital	78 22
	$2246 72

LUNACY ACCOUNT

Sundry cases in lunacy	$ 47 00

CONSTABLES' PAY

Returns to court	$ 818 74
Visiting hotels	112 27
	$ 931 01

INQUEST ACCOUNT

Sundry costs, infant case	$ 34 13
Sundry costs, Annie Duke case	1 00
Sundry costs, Frank McCartney case	4 75
Sundry costs, Steve Bogzonyi case	15 25
Sundry costs, John Reynolds case	22 98
Sundry costs, S. M. Bell case	50
Sundry costs, Hans Reidle case	1 00
Sundry costs, W. R. Haynes case	2 50
Sundry costs, George Smalco case	2 50
	$ 84 61

COMMONWEALTH OF PENN'A ACCOUNT

D. F. Fortney, auditing Com. of Penn'a account	$ 50 00
Robert K. Young, state treasurer, tax on loans, 1913 account	380 00
John D. Miller, com. on 1913 account	20 00
	$ 450 00

REGISTRARS' ACCOUNT

Reporting births and deaths	$ 417 75

HUNTINGDON REFORMATORY

Maintaining sundry inmates	$ 316 80

GLENN MILLS SCHOOL

Maintaining sundry inmates	643 29

WESTERN PENITENTIARY

Maintaining sundry inmates	510 01

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT

Amount to Bellefonte Trust Company	2200 00

JURY COMMISSIONERS' ACCOUNT

J. Adam Hasel, mileage and services	$ 113 28
John D. Decker, mileage and services	125 28
M. W. Walker, services as clerk	126 00
	$ 364 56

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PRINTING ACCOUNT

Centre Democrat	
Sundry printing	159 04
Circulating 4000 auditors' statements	80 00
	239 04
Democratic Watchman	
Sundry printing	263 95
Keystone Gazette	
Sundry printing	51 30
Circulating 4000 auditors' statements	80 00
	131 30
Centre Reporter	
Sundry printing	40 22
Printing 15000 auditors' statements	150 00
Circulating 3200 auditors' statements	64 00
	254 22
Millheim Journal	
Sundry printing	80 00
Circulating 1000 auditors' statements	20 00
	100 00
Howard Hustler	
Circulating 2400 auditors' statements	48 00
Philipsburg Ledger	
Sundry printing	32 00
Circulating 900 auditors' statements	18 00
	50 00
Philipsburg Journal	
Circulating 500 auditors' statements	10 27
Bellefonte Republican	
Sundry printing	8 75
State College Times	
Circulating 500 auditors' statements, 1912	10 00
Circulating 500 auditors' statements, 1913	10 00
	20 00
Total printing account	1125 53

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INSURANCE

Sundry insurance	306 00

BELLEFONTE O. P.

Maintaining Fred Cummins	209 71

BELLEFONTE HOSPITAL

Maintaining Sadie Delige	365 00

TELEPHONE ACCOUNT

Bell telephone	$ 306 75
United telephone	213 30
	520 05

ASSESSORS' ACCOUNT

Sundry assessors' pay	$5074 56

SCALP ACCOUNT

Sundry bounties paid	$5096 50

STATE HIGHWAY

State road, Snow Shoe township	$5332 25

LOAN ACCOUNT

Notes and interest during the year 1914.

Notes paid	$21000 00
Interest paid on semi-annual bonds	4000 00
Interest paid on notes	884 33
	25884 33

C. A. S. OF PENN'A

Maintaining sundry inmates	$ 74 73

JANITOR'S ACCOUNT

E. J. Brown, salary as fireman	$ 630 00
J. T. Zeigler, salary as janitor	570 00
	1200 00

COUNTY OFFICERS' SALARIES

County commissioners	$3000 00
John D. Miller, treasurer	2000 00
D. Paul Fortney, district attorney, am't over paid 1913—$15.00	985 00
N. B. Spangler, solicitor	400 00
M. A. Kirk, M. D., county physician	100 00
H. N. Meyer, commissioners' clerk	1200 00
	7685 00

SHERIFF'S ACCOUNT

A. B. Lee, balance due on 1913 acct.	$2251 88
Sundry fees	1500 00
	3751 88

PROTHONOTARY'S ACCOUNT

D. R. Foreman, balance due on 1913 account	$ 313 59	
D. R. Foreman, sundry fees on 1914 account	605 55	
D. R. Foreman, balance 1913		313 59
D. R. Foreman, sundry credits 1914		506 84
D. R. Foreman, balance due, 1914		98 71
	919 14	919 14
Balance due D. R. Foreman January 4, 1915		98 71

COUNTY AUDITORS' ACCOUNT

Jerry Brungart, services and mileage	158 76
W. H. Goss, services and mileage	145 32
S. H. Hoy, services and mileage	128 52
W. C. Rowe, stenographer	4 00
D. F. Fortney, attorney to auditors	10 00
	446 60

JOHN D. MILLER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH SHEEP FUND ARISING FROM DOG TAX, 1914

	Dr.	
To bal. in hands of treas., Jan 5, 1914	1554 55	
To amount collected, 1914	1172 84	$2727 39
	Cr.	
By amount paid Ferguson twp	89 00	
By amount paid Harris twp	43 20	
By amount paid Half Moon twp	40 50	
By amount paid Howard twp	29 00	
By amount paid Liberty twp	51 00	
By amount paid Miles twp	11 25	
By amount paid Potter twp	19 00	
By amount paid Spring twp	72 84	
By amount paid Taylor twp	21 00	
By amount paid Worth twp	10 00	
By treasurer's commission	20 36	
By balance	2320 24	2727 39
	2727 39	2727 39
To Balance in hands of treas. John D. Miller, Jan. 4, 1915		2320 24

ARTHUR B. LEE, SHERIFF, IN ACCOUNT WITH CENTRE COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1914

To five days drawing jurors and executing venires		27 00
To summoning jurors to court		136 20
To preparing court and election proclamations for publication		55 00
To 46 days attending court (Sheriff)		138 00
To 46 days attending court (Deputy)		138 00
To reporting to Board of Public Charities		40 00
To county's portion of fuel for jail		40 00
To washing 40 blankets at 30c. each		12 00
To attending habeas corpus hearing of Emma Shay, self and deputy		6 00
To two nights taking care of Steve Bordner at hospital		6 00
To attending habeas corpus hearing of Mike Korwich, self and deputy		6 00
To conveying Mike Jovanozi to western penitentiary		87 00
To conveying John Masarash to western penitentiary		87 00
To conveying John Bair to western penitentiary		92 60
To conveying Pasquale Camille to western penitentiary		92 60
To conveying Frank Harris to western penitentiary		87 60
To conveying James Henderson to Huntingdon Reformatory		21 30
To conveying Thomas Peace to Huntingdon Reformatory		30 40
To conveying Bert Parks to Huntingdon Reformatory		30 40
To conveying Mrs. Ellen Murray to Danville hospital		51 44
To conveying George Smith to Danville hospital		42 94
To conveying Lucy Ryan's children to Indiana		82 20
To conveying Bessie Maffit to Glenn Mills		121 80
To conveying Hazel Walter to Glenn Mills		121 80
To fees in sundry commonwealth cases		180 59
To boarding prisoners 2013 days at 45c. per day		905 85
To 296 turnkey fees at 50c. each		148 00
By sundry fees	1500 00	
By balance due	1288 92	
	2788 92	2788 92
January 4, 1915, amount due A. B. Lee, Sheriff		1288 92

Statement of Taxes Outstanding on the Duplicates for the Year 1913.

DISTRICTS	COLLECTORS	Balance Due Jan. 5, 1914, Including 5 per ct. added			Amt. Due Jan. 4, 1915.		
		County	State	Dog	County	State	Dog
Bellefonte	J. K. Johnston	$ 2449 08	$ 04	39 50	$ 1917 07		$ 29 99
Howard	J. F. Holter	250 41	2 80	9 50	207 89	2 94	7 35
Milesburg	W. H. Musser	313 12	2 10	16 50	108 24	2 20	17 33
Millheim	J. W. O. Housman	371 17		11 32			
Philipsburg	C. H. Guelich	1789 38		35 50	1523 73		37 28
South Philipsburg	Daniel W. Musser	214 71	1 50	8 46	162 92	85	7 78
State College	J. L. Holmes	1451 76	2 40	6 50	684 35		6 83
Snow Shoe Boro	Geo. Fravel	139 09	6 48	22 48	99 28	49	17 87
Unionville	G. W. Rumberger	92 40					
Benner Twp	John Spearly	1148 41	19 40	53 50	456 63		26 26
Boggs Twp	James H. Weaver	334 20		28 64	118 67		21 67
Burnside Twp	R. F. Barger	278 50	35 96	30 50	30 31		7 18
College Twp	G. R. Roan	1272 42		25 50	48 90		11 10
Curtin Twp	A. A. Miller	325 67	3 20	32 00	222 33		23 62
Ferguson Twp.	Sam'l I. Corl	1031 98	7 49	23 02			
Gregg Twp	C. C. Bartges	1462 78		34 02	1087 50		29 72
Haines Twp	Wilson Haines	763 15	34 73	29 73	181 80	05	21 21
Half Moon Twp	Harry Ellenberger	379 81		8 00	7 64		
Harris Twp	P. S. Ishler	1007 19	74 50	13 77	781 23	78 23	14 46
Howard Twp	Thos. A. Pletcher	457 82		24 50			
Huston Twp	G. E. Campbell	336 79	3 94	24 04			
Liberty Twp	O. J. Stover	364 60	2 96	33 26	183 63		29 13
Marion Twp	W. E. Weight	706 87	2 68	17 99	459 85	2 81	16 25
Miles Twp	C. H. Smull	1395 41		22 50	96 89		7 35
Patton Twp	J. L. Mattern	961 09	22 02	41 50	233 94	7 37	27 82
Penn Twp	John M. Weaver	643 40	13 73	17 50	49 06	2 21	7 35
Potter Twp	R. B. Treaster	1203 51	6 98	35 51	46 77		8 40
Rush Twp	Wm. Clark	1426 22	14 30	89 00	531 18	6 31	40 37
Snow Shoe Twp	M. B. Conway	675 66	6 97	97 67	467 97	7 31	70 97
Spring Twp	John Dubbs	1771 04	2 72	63 78	1339 36	2 84	57 03
Taylor Twp	P. A. Hoover	347 89		21 56	182 97		12 31
Union Twp	H. M. Miles	426 40	1 18	21 06	17 39	1 28	16 60
Walker Twp	W. H. Minnich	889 68	19 47	22 01	507 59	13 00	12 99
Worth Twp	S. U. Harshberger	446 98		20 50	344 18		18 90
		$ 27128 59	$ 287 55	$ 980 82	$ 12099 27	$ 127 89	$ 605 12

Statement of Taxes Outstanding on the Duplicates for the Year 1914.

DISTRICTS	COLLECTORS	Amount Levied			Amount Due January 4, 1915.		
		County	State	Dog	County	State	Dog
Bellefonte	J. K. Johnston	$ 10348 47	$ 5864 07	$ 77 00	$ 2301 13	$ 367 02	36 23
Centre Hall	C. D. Bortholomew	947 16	539 95	12 00	48 40		6 51
Howard	T. A. Pletcher	920 52	364 48	20 50	176 94		11 00
Milesburg	W. H. Musser	523 23	130 64	16 00	218 88	19 55	11 99
Millheim	J. W. O. Housman	1177 44	412 69	15 00	407 59	8 49	12 01
Philipsburg	C. U. Hoffer	6049 94	1061 16	54 50	1699 04	53 74	32 54
South Philipsburg	No Collector	258 57	5 78	14 00	258 57	5 78	14 00
State College	H. W. Sauers	4796 95	550 30	14 50	1587 81	31 10	8 74
Snow Shoe Boro	George Fravel	591 00	87 35	42 00	224 52	59 21	26 50
Unionville	G. W. Rumberger	456 81	207 79	11 00	85 54		
Benner Twp	John Spearly	2573 09	174 48	82 00	1057 62	28 12	55 51
Boggs Twp	Lemuel Bierly	1688 52	102 71	76 00	924 33	32 62	53 36
Burnside Twp	R. F. Barger	240 48	39 96	25 00	240 48	39 96	25 00
College Twp	Luther Musser	3325 85	408 29	53 50	1220 98	45 83	32 25
Curtin Twp	A. A. Miller	728 31	39 84	78 00	281 02	2 51	42 45
Ferguson Twp	J. E. Elder	4008 51	287 72	85 00	988 35	12 92	25 45
Gregg Twp	C. C. Bartges	3889 09	521 74	94 00	1000 79	36 40	45 00
Haines Twp	Wilson Haines	3247 34	477 36	83 50	669 37	19 88	28 93
Half Moon Twp	Harry Ellenberger	1273 33	81 60	32 00	334 02	6 89	16 00
Harris Twp	F. T. Ishler	2072 63	250 84	47 00	998 53	57 51	25 53
Howard Twp	Thos. A. Pletcher	864 76	78 00	41 50	374 34		19 02
Huston Twp	G. E. Campbell	642 11	109 12	32 50	291 64	14 70	22 64
Liberty Twp	O. J. Stover	1330 83	83 26	72 50	245 26	64	40 28
Marion Twp	Chas. A. Dolan	1645 42	55 55	31 00	620 01	3 22	12 00
Miles Twp	C. H. Smull	3011 35	489 06	63 50	913 75	5 49	29 03
Patton Twp	R. H. Reed	1764 23	153 82	68 00	891 37	57 05	41 83
Penn Twp	Daniel Krader	2275 08	267 92	52 00	289 44	28 84	23 56
Potter Twp	J. B. Fortney	4312 41	148 49	82 50	1003 57	15 54	29 50
Rush Twp	William Wood	2428 11	67 80	106 00	1110 93	4 89	64 97
Snow Shoe Twp	John Boyce	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Spring Twp	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Taylor Twp	P. A. Hoover	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Twp	Roy Calhoun	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Walker Twp	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Worth Twp	C. S. Harshberger	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

John D. Miller, Treasurer, in Account With Road Funds From Unseated Lands.

DISTRICT	Bal. on Hand Jan. 5, 1914	Amt. Col. in 1914	TOTAL	Amt. Pd. Out 1914	Commission	Amt. on Hand Jan. 4, 1915
Benner Twp	15 44	11 16	26 60			26 60
Boggs Twp	58 12	210 23	268 35	[illegible]	10 79	52 60
Burnside Twp	259 83	467 71	727 54	283 10	15 06	429 38
College Twp	6 55	6 00	12 55			12 55
Curtin Twp	225 03	295 19	520 22	391 41	20 60	108 21
Ferguson Twp	17 32	78 50	95 82			95 82
Gregg Twp	17 72	13 48	31 20	27 25	1 43	2 52
Haines Twp	13 22	19 21	32 43	30 64	1 61	18
Half Moon Twp	16 65	113 28	129 93	119 94	6 31	3 68
Harris Twp	32 64	38 82	71 46			71 46
Howard Twp	18 75	25 97	44 72			44 72
Huston Twp	24 80	86 44	111 24	28 50	1 50	81 24
Liberty Twp	35 10	68 43	103 53	42 68	2 25	58 60
Marion Twp	44	44 13	44 57	39 17	2 06	3 34
Miles Twp	35 10	81 24	116 34			116 34
Patton Twp	12 30	91 89	104 19	78 26	4 12	21 81
Potter Twp	33 91	21 25	55 16	80 64	4 24	
Penn Twp	3 24	1 44	4 68			4 68
Rush Twp	609 94	874 94	1484 88	1127 59	59 35	297 94
Spring Twp	27 35	22 28	49 63			49 63
Snow Shoe Twp	23 84	788 60	812 44	431 57	22 71	358 16
Taylor Twp	29 87	54 80	84 67	48 55	2 55	33 57
Union Twp		124 55	120 14			120 14
Walker Twp	86	73 91	74 77	45 80	2 41	26 56
Worth Twp	19 90	190 09	209 99	196 88	10 37	2 74
	1537 92	3803 54	5337 05	2176 94	167 36	2022 47

John D. Miller, Treasurer, in Account With School and Interest Funds From Unseated Lands.

DISTRICT	Bal. on hand Jan. 5, 1914	Amt. col. in 1914	TOTAL	Amt. paid out 1914	Commission	Amt. on hand Jan. 4, 1915
Benner twp	11 37	9 45	20 82			20 82
Boggs twp	139 19	287 63	426 82	306 59	16 14	104 09
Burnside twp	286 99	512 34	799 33	279 96	14 74	504 63
College twp	7 14	6 00	13 14			13 14
Curtin twp	84 34	206 65	290 99	132 92	7 00	151 07
Ferguson twp	159 63	93 82	253 45			253 45
Gregg twp	21 99	15 97	37 96			37 96
Haines twp	16 47	23 32	39 79	37 32	2 47	
Half Moon	83 72	80 00	163 72			163 72
Harris twp	23 71	25 80	49 51			49 51
Howard twp	32 72	24 24	56 96	51 83	2 73	2 40
Huston twp	12 50	104 52	117 02	111 17	5 85	
Liberty twp	93 96	66 10	160 06	98 60	5 19	56 27
Marion twp	87	35 28	36 15			36 15
Miles twp	35 81	94 62	130 43	64 99	3 42	62 02
Patton twp	4 22	64 24	68 46	46 54	2 45	19 47
Penn twp	4 74	1 91	6 65			6 65
Potter twp	5 81	17 71	23 52			23 52
Rush twp	692 45	3197 44	3889 89	3165 88	166 62	557 39
Spring twp	32 15	22 61	54 76			54 76
Snow Shoe twp	54 83	1813 70	1868 53	1769 93	93 16	5 44
Taylor twp	72 92	67 70	140 62	71 93	3 79	64 90
Union twp	99 35	168 80	268 15	254 31	13 39	45
Walker twp	2 16	134 04	136 20			136 20
Worth twp	27 77	288 23	316 00	294 71	15 50	5 79
	2006 81	7362 12	9368 93	6696 39	352 45	2329 80
Walker twp interest		19 28	19 28			19 28
Rush twp interest	827 99	906 72	1734 71	947 37	49 86	737 48

John D. Miller, Treasurer, in Account With the Poor Funds from Unseated Lands.

DISTRICT	Bal. on hand Jan. 5, 1914	Amt. col. in 1914	TOTAL	Amt. paid out in 1914	Commission	Amt. on hand Jan. 4, 1915
Benner twp	5 27	3 89	9 16			9 16
Boggs twp	23 26	85 00	108 26	81 17	4 27	22 82
Burnside twp	156 15	97 60	253 75			253 75
College twp	70	1 00	1 70			1 70
Curtin twp	44 62	118 10	162 72	150 46	7 92	4 34
Ferguson twp	1 86	7 90	9 76	8 92	84	
Gregg twp	6 94	6 38	13 32			13 32
Haines twp	19 08	9 22	28 30			28 30
Half Moon twp	8 65	15 08	23 73			23 73
Harris twp	4 82	11 34	16 16	4 82	25	11 09
Howard twp	11 91	5 71	17 62	16 70	88	04
Huston twp		25 98	25 98	24 68	1 30	
Liberty twp	10 53	20 54	31 07	10 80	57	19 70
Marion twp	4 77	20 69	25 46	22 42	1 17	1 87
Miles twp	120 76	73 49	194 25	39 66	2 09	152 50
Patton twp	3 04	54 12	57 16	39 46	2 07	15 63
Penn twp	2 36	1 12	3 48	2 48	13	87
Potter twp	20 39	11 27	31 66			31 66
Rush twp	421 61	1388 09	1809 70	1629 57	85 77	94 36
Spring twp	25 67	18 77	44 44			44 44
Snow Shoe twp	11 92	394 40	406 32	385 54	20 29	49
Taylor twp	1 45	16 17	17 62	10 90	57	6 15
Union twp	39 82	67 61	107 43	62 28	3 28	41 87
Walker twp	52	56 42	56 94	36 74	1 93	18 27
Worth twp	3 63	11 68	15 31	14 22	75	34
	949 13	2522 17	3471 30	2547 82	134 08	796 40

John D. Miller, Treasurer, in Account With Borough and Road Funds from Liquor Licenses 1914.

DISTRICT	Amt. Col. in 1914	Amt. Pd. Out in 1914	Commission	Total
Bellefonte Boro	600 00	570 00	30 00	600 00
Philipsburg Boro	1080 00	1026 00	54 00	1080 00
Centre Hall Boro	120 00	114 00	6 00	120 00
Snow Shoe Boro	240 00	228 00	12 00	240 00
Howard Boro	120 00	114 00	6 00	120 00
Millheim Boro	120 00	114 00	6 00	120 00
Gregg Twp	60 00	57 00	3 00	60 00
Miles Twp	60 00	57 00	3 00	60 00
Penn Twp	60 00	57 00	3 00	60 00
Potter Twp	120 00	114 00	6 00	120 00
Rush Twp	120 00	114 00	6 00	120 00
Snow Shoe Twp	60 00	57 00	3 00	60 00
	2760 00	2622 00	138 00	2760 00

Statement of County Funds From Duplicates for Years 1901 to 1914, Inclusive.

Yr.	Collector	DISTRICT	Balance due Jan. 4, 1915	TOTAL
1901	H. S. Taylor	Bellefonte boro	110 44—	110 44
1902	H. S. Taylor	Bellefonte boro	154 58	
1902	W. T. Wrye	Half Moon twp	1 12—	155 70
1905	George Noll	Milesburg boro	67 47—	67 47
1908	George G. Hastings	Benner twp	20 33—	20 33
1909	Daniel Straw	Huston twp	19 32—	19 32
1910	J. K. Johnston	Bellefonte boro	290 28	
1910	C. H. Guelich	Philipsburg boro	458 35	
1910	S. U. Harshberger	Worth twp	37 27—	785 90
1911	J. K. Johnston	Bellefonte boro	996 49	
1911	J. F. Smith	Centre Hall boro	155 71	
1911	C. H. Guelich	Philipsburg boro	181 93	
1911	James Weaver	Boggs twp	38 39	
1911	Daniel Straw	Huston twp	256 83	
1911	Ellsworth Weight	Marion twp	42—	1629 77
1912	J. K. Johnston	Bellefonte boro	557 78	
1912	Frank Knarr	Millheim boro	41 87	
1912	C. H. Guelich	Philipsburg boro	819 31	
1912	John Spearly	Benner twp	37 83	
1912	James H. Weaver	Boggs twp	23 35	
1912	J. E. Yeager	Curtin twp	104 93	
1912	C. C. Bartges	Gregg twp	284 05	
1912	Daniel Straw	Huston twp	143 43	
1912	W. E. Weight	Marion twp	43	
1912	C. H. Smull	Miles twp	3 90	
1912	M. B. Conway	Snow Shoe twp	9 33	
1912	S. U. Harshberger	Worth twp	19 35—	2045 56
				4834 49
1913	Amount due county		12832 28—	12832 28
1914	Amount due county		26302 04—	26302 04
				43968 81

RECAPITULATION OF STATE LICENSES FOR YEAR 1914.

	DR.
To balance due the Com. for 1913	206 98
To retail mercantile licenses	4359 98
To wholesale mercantile licenses	944 72
To retail liquor licenses	1150 00
To wholesale liquor sellers' and dealers' licenses	1000 00
To brewers' licenses	1000 00
To billiards and pool	560 00
To broker's license	20 00
To peddlers' license	30 00
To circus licenses	245 00
To eating house licenses	64 43
To tax on loan	400 00
	9981 11
	CR.
By printing	387 75
By postage	50 15
By exonerations	72 64
By commissions	336 15
By com. vouchers	8913 31
By balance for 1913	206 98
To balance due	14 13
	9981 11
Balance due	14 13

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Liabilities

Amount of outstanding bonds at 4 per cent	$100,000 00
Amount due A. B. Lee, Sheriff	1,288 92
Amount due D. R. Foreman	98 71
Estimated commonwealth costs	800 00
Estimated commissions	[illegible]
	104,813 63

Assets

Amount of cash in hands of John D. Miller, treasurer, Jan 4, 1915	32,321 73
Amount of cash in sinking fund	10,512 00
Amount due on duplicates from 1901 to 1914 inclusive	43,968 81
Amount due on tax liens	1,165 03
Amount due from commonwealth of Penn'a. scalp account	6,442 00
Amount due from Pomona grange	178 75
Amount due from B'f'te Fair ass'n	1,000 00
Amount due from asylum bills	91 50
Amount due from Snow Shoe road account	1,975 02
Amount due from Allegheny and McKean counties (escaped convicts)	375 18
Amount due from sundry sources	86 00
Amount due from uncollected jury fees	112 00
	98,228 02
Total Indebtedness of County, Jan. 4, 1915	6,585 61

We, the undersigned Auditors of Centre county, having carefully examined the accounts of the County Commissioners, Sheriff and Treasurer of said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the receipts and expenditures and of their respective accounts for the year 1914.

S. H. HOY,
JEREMIAH BRUNGART,
W. H. GOSS,
Auditors of Centre county, Penn'a.

Bellefonte, Pa., February 23, 1915.

SECOND WEEK OF COURT.

Millheim "Character," for "Playfully Pointing Pistol," Will Serve Sentence in County Jail, Besides Paying Fine.

The following cases were disposed of at the first week of court following last week's issue of the Reporter:

Commonwealth vs. Lewis Pezyichilli, indicted for defrauding board bill. Defendant plead guilty and sentence was suspended on condition that he pay the bill and costs.

Commonwealth vs. Arber Hassenplug, non-support. Bill ignored and county to pay the costs.

Lucian Rager, assault and battery and drunkenness. Bill ignored and costs put upon the county.

Potter-Hoy Hardware Co. vs H. A. Ellis. Defendant confessed judgment for $50.00

Christ Sharer, vs. D. O. Downing, an action brought to recover for railroad ties issued by the defendant. Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $87.98

Donald Paul and Howard Moore, two boys, appeared in court and plead guilty to larceny. They were both sentenced to the reform school at Glenn Mills.

Effie Taylor and John Taylor vs. Edward Bubb and John Bubb, trading as Bubb and Son. This being an action brought by the plaintiffs for lumber alleged by them to have been delivered to defendant's mill in logs to be converted into lumber between Dec 7 and the spring of 1913, alleging that they had been conveyed or caused to have been conveyed to defendant's mill, logs amounting to about 11,000 feet, and that this lumber was not there and that they had not received all of their lumber, claiming from the defendant a bill after giving credit of $204 and some cents. The defendants contending that from the time they set up their mill near the plaintiff's home they had sawed altogether for the plaintiffs 18468 feet, and showing that something more than this amount was sold to different parties by the plaintiff, including something over 3 and 1-2 thousands still estimated to be in the yard. The plaintiff however contending that there was in the yard not quite 2000 feet. The defendant testifying to the effect that they had sawed only little over 3000 feet after Dec. 7, 1912, and that they had sawed all of plaintiff's lumber that had been delivered to the mill, and that they had converted none of it to their own use excepting that they had special permission from the plaintiffs, and further contending that they had never been paid for this sawing, while the plaintiffs contented they had paid the same to a justice of the peace. The defendants claiming that there was nothing due the plaintiffs, but on the other hand the defendants claimed that the plaintiffs owed them a balance of book account of something over $30 This case went to trial late Tuesday afternoon. Verdict Thursday morning in favor of defendant.

On Monday the District Attorney on petition obtained a rule on Perry Krise, landlord at Spring Mills, to show cause why his license should not be revoked.

Christian Sharer vs. C. P. Caughey Lumber Company; an appeal from the justice of the peace, and is an action brought to recover for a saw and saw bits in the possession of the defendant company. Verdict Thursday forenoon in favor of the plaintiff for $53 75.

SECOND WEEK'S CASES.

Monday morning court convened at ten o'clock and Russell Spangler, who had plead guilty last week to charges of larceny was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, $1.00 fine and to the Reformatory at Huntingdon. William Spangler, who plead guilty to the same charges as his brother, but being older, was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, $1.00 fine, and to the penitentiary for thirteen months.

William Lauver, who plead guilty to the charge of playfully pointing a pistol, was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $10 00 and four months to the county jail.

Joseph Gordon, who plead guilty to furnishing liquor, was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $25 00, and to the county jail for sixty days.

American Lime and Stone Company vs. Elizabeth S. Meyer, W. H. McIntire, administrators of etc. of J. C. Meyer, deceased, being an action in assumpsit. Verdict taken in favor of the plaintiff for $118 31.

Chester L. Neff vs. the Pa. R. R. Co., a corporation; being an action in trespass; continued.

John I. Thompson, Jr, and Margaret J. Thompson, his wife, vs. W. Malvin Meyer; being an action in trespass growing out of an automobile accident; settled.

William Witmer and Son Company, a corporation, vs. William Showers; being an action in trespass; continued for further surveying.

Alexander Heverly vs. The Penn. Fire Brick Co., a corporation, being an action in traspass; settled.

Amelia B. Bechtol vs. The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, being an action in trespass. While hauling gravel from a pit, the ledge of earth and rock fell, killing the husband of the plaintiff and injuring another man. Suit was brought for the loss of support of the husband, charging negligence on the part of the defendant company. The accident occurred June 25th, 1913. After hearing argument on both sides, the court directed the jury to find a verdict for the defendant. Later the court instructed the case to be taken from the jury.

Peter Mendis vs. E. A. Schad, being an action in assumpsit brought to recover on a note, unpaid check and book account. A part of this claim having been paid after suit brought and defendant contending set-off as to the remainder, and the case went to the jury but at the close of the argument by defendant's counsel moved the court to withdraw a juror and continue the cause at the cost of the defendant for improper remarks and references used by counsel in making his argument. Motion granted, cause continued at the cost of the defendant.

Celebrate 60th Wedding Anniversary.

The Clinton Republican, last week, contained the portraits of Mr. and Mrs. Lyons Mussina, who Saturday previous celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding, the event taking place in Lock Haven.

Mr. Mussina was born in Aaronsburg, on February 24, 1827. He attended school in his native town and learned the printer's trade in Millheim in 1841-4. During 1846 he worked in Huntingdon and a year later went to Salona where he clerked in Best's store.

He went to Lock Haven in 1850 and purchased an interest in the Clinton Democrat, the firm name being Crawford & Mussina. He continued in the newspaper business until 1853 when he was elected county treasurer.

In 1856 he was elected cashier of the Lock Haven National bank which position he held for 21 years. In 1872 the co-partnership of Mussina & Reed was formed, and they dealt in coal feed and groceries. Recently Mr. Reed died, but Mr. Mussina is daily at the store.

LOCALS

Harry Davidson of Milroy had the misfortune to crush one of his fingers.

John Bowersox of near Tyrone sold his farm and will locate at State College.

L. L. Smith sold his Ford touring car to J. W. Henszey of State College, on Monday. Mr. Smith is now running his new King car.

Huntingdon county will remain dry for another year. The three applicants for license in that county were refused by Judge J. M. Woods.

Idaho now belongs to the anti-booze states. After January 1, 1906, it will be unlawful to manufacture or sell intoxicating liquors in that state.

Mr. Ford, a paint agent, accompanied F. M. Crawford of the Potter-Hoy Hardware Company, on a tour through Penns Valley, the beginning of this week.

Rev F. H. Foss and E. Clayton Wagner are attending the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the United Evangelical church, in session at Carlisle.

Messrs. Orvis Horner and Harry McClellan of Tusseyville were callers at this office Wednesday and gained a little knowledge concerning the art preservative of arts.

A choice lot of colts, western stock, will be sold in Centre Hall, Thursday, 11th inst. Seven of these animals are nicely broken and are fearless of steam and autos. See adv.

Mrs. Raymond J. Miller, nee Elizabeth Saunders, is in Philadelphia where she will remain for a short time with her husband, who is finishing a course in the Jefferson Medical College.

Daniel Keller of Warren, Illinois, recently had a foot amputated, the member having been affected with gangrene, this being the second foot it became necessary to remove on account of this disease. Mr. Keller is ninety years old and is a brother of the late David Keller and Henry Keller of Boalsburg.

Potters Mills

Mr. and Mrs. John McNitt, Misses Margaret McNitt and Anna Burkins of Milroy, called on Mrs. Annie McClenahan on Sunday.

Mrs. Michael Smith is spending a week in Lewistown as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ashbridge Thomas.

Mrs. William Bressler spent Monday in Centre Hall.

Mrs. Annie Immel spent a few days in Spring Mills.

Miss C. T. McCloskey is sewing this week for Bettie Kimport, at Linden Hall.

Mrs J. M. Carson and son Clarence spent Tuesday in Penn Hall as guests of Orris McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Daup of Centre Hall spent Friday at the home of F. A. Carson.

Mrs Marcellus Sankey and two children are spending some time at the home of W. F. Smith at Millheim.

Harry Faust and family moved to Sprucetown into the home of Mrs. Jennie Wolf.

Reporter Register.

John Rudy, Margaret Rudy, Centre Hall
James K. Keller, Ralph F. Luse, George A. Crawford, Centre Hall.
Daniel Klinger, Linden Hall
H A. McClellan, Tusseyville
O. L. Horner, Spring Mills

DEATHS.

Miss Anna Limbert died at the home of her brother, Daniel Limbert, at Madisonburg, Tuesday morning at five o'clock, following a stroke of paralysis, aged forty-one years, two months and eleven days. Funeral services will be held Friday morning in the Reformed church, and burial at Madisonburg, Rev. A. G. Stauffer officiating. Miss Limbert was a dwarf and an invalid practically all her life. For the past six years she made her home with her brother. Her parents are both dead and she leaves four brothers, namely, Harvey of Miles township; Daniel and William of Madisonburg; Josiah, who lives in Ohio.

Spring Mills.

Miss Mary Woods visited in Boalsburg for a few days.

Miss Rae Houtz spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Frank McClellan.

Mrs. Sarah Guise of Penn Hall, after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. H. F. Rossman, returned to her home on Friday.

Rev. William McClellan of Rockwood attended the Runkle sale on Friday. He reported Mrs. McClellan's condition not very encouraging.

Miss Rae Finkle has been quite ill for a few days.

Transfers of Real Estate.

John Harris Orbinson et al to James Dorsey Hunter, tract of land in Bellefonte boro. $3,000.

Chauncey De Long et al to J. Irvin Wagner, tract of land in Liberty twp. $60

George R. Meek et ux to W. R. Shope, tract of land in Bellefonte boro. $975.

Jesse T. Leathers et al to Mable Reamy Hoy, tract of land in Pleasant Gap. $400.

Emma L. Young et bar to Lydia Tressler, tract of land in Patton twp $500

John Buttler to Chas. N. Weaver, tract of land in Curtin twp. $110.

W. E Weight to Wm. N. Weaver, tract of land in Marion twp. $500.

W. J Carlin, admr., to S. W. Gramley, tract of land in Miles twp. $600.

W. R. Shope et ux to Thomas J. Decker, tract of land in State College boro. $800.

Mary B. Dukman et bar to Jacob E. Snyder, tract of land in Bellefonte boro. $1

Jacob E Snyder et ux to W. D. Dukeman, tract of land in Bellefonte boro. $1

W. D. Dukeman et ux to Samuel D. Gettig, tract of land in Bellefonte boro. $394.

Catherine Kearney to Elizabeth Callan, tract of land in Bellefonte boro. $1.

Field Sports.

When you keep a boy interested in football, baseball, tennis, and the like, you lessen the chances that he will get interested in things not so good for him.

The Youth's Companion, since its enlargement, gives generous space to this matter of athletic training, and gets the best coaches in the country to write for it.

Every new subscriber who sends $2 00 for a year's subscription will receive free The Companion Home Calendar for 1915.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION,
144 Berkeley Street, Boston Mass.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.—

A special meeting of the stockholders of the State College Transporation Company is called for May 5th, 1915, at 7:30 p. m., at the Alpha Fire Company building, in the borough of State College, Pennsylvrnia, for the transaction of the following business:

First, to authorize the increase of the bonded indebtedness from $2500 to $4500; second, to authorize the sale of the property of said company, and the performance of such other business as shall appertain to said sale, and apply for the dissolution of said company.

S. K. HOSTETTER, Secretary.

9.o.14.

40 HENS FOR SALE.—20 S. C. W. Leghorns and 20 Plymouth Rocks. Every one a good layer. Will sell for 75 cents apiece. Apply to HARRY DINGES, Centre Hall, Pa.

PUBLIC SALE OF WESTERN COLTS

THURSDAY, MARCH 11TH, ONE O'CLOCK P. M., AT CENTRE HALL.

There will be sold on above date at the barn of the undersigned, to the rear of The Centre Reporter Office, Centre Hall, the following colts, ranging from one to three years old.

SIX COLTS RISING THREE YEARS OLD.
TWO COLTS RISING TWO YEARS OLD.
TWO COLTS RISING ONE YEAR OLD.

Four of these colts are Percherons, three years old, Western bred, but have been in my stable since September. These animals are all correct in every way—well built, well boned, well formed, good feet, with good action. They weigh 1375, 1350, 1265 and 1210, respectively. Two are the making of horses that will mature at over 1500 and two at over 1400. They are nicely broken to tongue, and are capable of performing all kinds of farm work.

TWO PERCHERON MARES. These mares, rising two years old, were selected by Mr. Hosterman for breeding purposes. One of them is fifteen-sixteenths and the other seven-eights Percheron, and bred from mares weighing 1600 and 1700, respectively, and from a sire weighing 2000. The colts now weigh 1250 and 1225, respectively. They are unusually well-boned and well formed, with good feet, and will mature at 1600 or over. They are nicely broken to tongue, work fine and free. They are old enough and big enough to breed this spring, and will be capable of doing light farm work.

TWO MARE COLTS, rising three years old. One now weighs 1125; will mature at over 1300; compact in form; good all 'round. She is also nicely broken to tongue and shafts. The other is also a mare colt, of driving type, bred from Allen Chide, a roadster.

TWO YEARLING COLTS. One of these is the making of a heavy draft mare, perfect in form. She is bred from a Western mare. The other is of driving type, bred from Allen Chide.

These colts have had only ordinary care, and have not been fed to a finish. They are just in good, thriving condition and will show up for themselves when looked over.

TEN FINE MILCH COWS—These cows are all young and correct, and are either fresh or springing.

TERMS—A credit of one year, under the usual conditions of farm stock sales, will be allowed.

Free lunch will be provided for all who must leave their homes before the noon hour.

S. W. SMITH.

L. F. Mayes, Auctioneer
C. D Bartholomew, Clerk

ADVERTISEMENTS

HOUSE AND LOT FOR RENT.—Known as the Ferguson Potter homestead. Apply to JOHN H. WEIBLY, 137 North Spring St., Bellefonte, Pa. o.9.p'd.

HORSE FOR SALE—Dark Bay Horse, coming eight years old, weighs about 1300 lbs., good worker wherever hitched. Fearless of steam or automobiles.—Apply to C. A. HENNICK, Spring Mills, Pa. o.9.p'd.

LOST—On January 30th, a brown fox muff, somewhere between the home of Prof. C. R. Neff and State College. Finder please notify Miss Dorothy E. Gastan, Woman's Building, State College, Pa.

TWO GOOD HORSES FOR SALE.—12-year old roan horse, 1250 lbs., will work anywhere; Bay mare, 11 years old, weighs 1300 lbs; will work anywhere good buggy mare. Can be bought at a reasonable figure. Write or 'phone J. H BURKHOLDER, Centre Hill, Pa. P. O., Spring Mills, Pa., R. D. 4. o.13.p'd.

HOUSE FOR RENT OR SALE.—In Milesburg borough, suitable for country hotel or residence. Best locality in town. Ten rooms and kitchen, summer house and other outbuildings; good stable and garage; large front and side porch; city water and full bath room; aceytlene gas; good hot air furnace; garden and fruit. Right man can make good with hotel.
Also good lots at State College, Pa.
Inquire of L. C. BULLOCK, Jr., Agent,
300 Atherton St.,
State College, Pa.
o.11 p'd

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.—

Letters of administration, C. T. A., on the estate of Jane Rimert, late of Howard borough, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, she would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MRS. JOHN EARL, Administratrix,
Gettig, Bower, & Zerby, Attorneys
Bellefonte, Pa. 4.o.9.

IF you want to buy or sell property in or near Centre Hall consult Chas. D. Bartholomew, before acting.

I have several fine offerings now on my list.

Chas. D. Bartholomew
CENTRE HALL, PA.

SEED OATS AND SEED CORN

SEED OATS: Ratekin's New Alberta, Canada Grown. Biggest, Heaviest, Yielding Oats Known or Grown. Adapted to any State in the Union. We have handled and sent out thousands of bushels of these Oats everywhere during the last five years. They yield on good land 100, 125 to 150 bushels per acre. We also handle all other leading best varieties.

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$10 Washing Machines, now	$6.50
Washington Lye, per can -	5cts.
Banner Lye, per can - - -	8cts.
Caustic Soda, per 2 lb. can -	9cts.
Onion Sets, per lb. - - - -	8cts.
10c Men's Canvas Gloves, now	8cts.
15c Men's Canvas Gloves, now	12cts.
45c Bed Sheets, now - -	35cts.
75c Bed Sheets, now - -	60cts.
16c Pillow Cases, now -	12½cts
25c Pillow Cases, now - -	20cts.
Granulated Sugar 25 lbs. - -	$1.55

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The Famous "Sellers" and "Hoosier" Kitchen Cabinets--

Best cabinets on the market. Also lower priced cabinets.

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"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

Contrary Methods.

"I see that in Europe they are having battles in the clouds."

"Yes; that is how they are trying to get in the sun."

All Boys and Girls should write to Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co., 1304 Kesner Bldg., Chicago, Ill., for beautiful "Mother Goose Jingle Book" in colors sent free to all readers of this paper.—Adv.

Only Fair.

"Do I understand you to say," asked the judge, "that his remarks were acrimonious?"

"No, judge, your honor, I didn't say that. I said he just swore at me. I ain't a-goin' to claim that he done what he didn't do."—St. James Gazette.

For Her Protection.

"When I said I would marry you you promised to let me handle all your money, but now we are married you handle it all yourself."

"That's because I love you so."

"That's a queer way to prove your love."

"It's a mighty self-sacrificing way. When I made that promise I was not aware that money was teeming with bacteria."

The Zealous Youth.

The Employer—If my wife calls up, say that I have just gone out.

The Office Boy—Yes, sir, I'll say it every time she calls up.

The Employer—You mustn't do that. My wife would have a poor opinion of your truthfulness.

The Boy—Yes, sir; she has it now.

The Employer — What do you mean?

The Boy—Why, she called up this morning and asked me if I was the new boy. An' I said, "Yes, ma'am." And she said it was no place for a truthful boy. She said you had no use for a truthful boy. Then she said, "Did you ever tell a lie?" And I said, "No, ma'am."

"And what did she say?"

"She said, 'You'l' do!'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

MAY BE COFFEE
That Causes all the Trouble

When the house is afire, it's about the same as when disease begins to show, it's no time to talk but time to act—delay is dangerous—remove the cause of the trouble at once.

"For a number of years," wrote a Kansas lady, "I felt sure that coffee was hurting me, and yet I was so fond of it, I could not give it up. At last I got so bad that I made up my mind I must either quit the use of coffee or die.

"Everything I ate distressed me, and I suffered severely most of the time with palpitation of the heart. I frequently woke up in the night with the feeling that I was almost gone—my heart seemed so smothered and weak in its action. My breath grew short and the least exertion set me panting. I slept but little and suffered from rheumatism.

"Two years ago I stopped using the coffee and began to use Postum and from the very first I began to improve. It worked a miracle! Now I can eat anything and digest it without trouble. I sleep like a baby, and my heart beats strong and regularly. My breathing has become steady and normal, and my rheumatism has left me.

"I feel like another person, and it is all due to quitting coffee and using Postum, for I haven't used any medicine and none would have done any good as long as I kept drugging with coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Postum comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25 packages.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost per cup about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers

SANITARY BOARD PAYING PLAGUE LOSS

Governor Brumbaugh Approves $500,000 Appropriation.

HOOF AND MOUTH DISEASE

Plans Afoot To Start Jitney Line In Capital—Starts Suit To Collect On Profit Sharing Plan—Pheasants For State Use.

Harrisburg. — Farmers throughout the State who lost cattle as a result of the hoof and mouth disease, and who have been forced to wait several weeks for the money paid by the State for such losses, can now get the money due them. Governor Brumbaugh signed the bill appropriating $500,000 to pay bills now in the hands of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, amounting to $526,000.

Representatives of beef packers and butchers are complaining against the ruling of the board preventing them from receiving compensation for diseased cattle found in the slaughter pens. They contend that they should receive as much consideration for their losses as the farmer. The rule was passed to discourage butchers and packers from taking chances on bringing diseased or suspected cattle to the abbatoir.

Live Stock Sanitary Board announced a quarantine against any shipments of cattle from New Jersey because of the prevalence of the foot and mouth disease in that State and decided to maintain the quarantine against any shipments from Chicago.

New quarantines were also established in this State as follows:

Philadelphia—All territory north of Girard Avenue.

Bucks — Buckingham, Doylestown, Northampton, Solebury, Upper Wakefield, Warwick and Wrightstown.

Montgomery—Lower Merion.

Dauphin—Upper Paxton.

Erie—Greene, Summit and part of Mill Creek.

Fayette—Dunbar.

Indiana—Burrell.

The counties of Franklin, Perry and Mifflin were relieved from quarantine.

It is estimated that 20,000 animals of various kinds were destroyed in fighting the disease, making it the most expensive outbreak ever known in the cattle industry in Pennsylvania. Approximately $26,000 above the half million appropriated is claimed in vouchers filed with the board and these and other expenses which may be incurred before the close of the session will probably be cared for. The national Government already has provided its half of the expense. The cattle will be paid for as appraised under the provisions of the act of 1913.

The Governor also approved the bill increasing the salary of the Chief of the Bureau of Standards of the Department of Internal Affairs from $2,000 to $3,000. This officer has charge of weights and measures and the place is filled by James Sweeney, who organized the bureau. The bill signed also provides for an assistant at $2,000. There is now a clerk at $1,000. The salary of the stenographer remains at $1,200.

Jitney Line In Capital.

Preliminary steps for the organization of a jitney 'bus line have been taken here and a company formed by a number of men prominent in politics will ask a charter. The plan is to operate fifty auto 'bus cars. Jitney 'buses, so-called because they charge five cent fares, first made their appearance in Los Angeles, Cal., and spread rapidly to San Diego, San Francisco, Seattle, Wash.; Portland, Ore.; Houston, Austin, El Paso and San Antonio, Tex., and Kansas City. Recently application was made to the New York Public Service Commission for permission to run a line in New York city. Not only are the jitney 'buses being operated on streets where there are no car lines, in the cities that have adopted them, but they have become a serious problem to the lines they do not attempt to antagonize. Movements are afoot in several other towns of the State to inaugurate the jitney 'bus service.

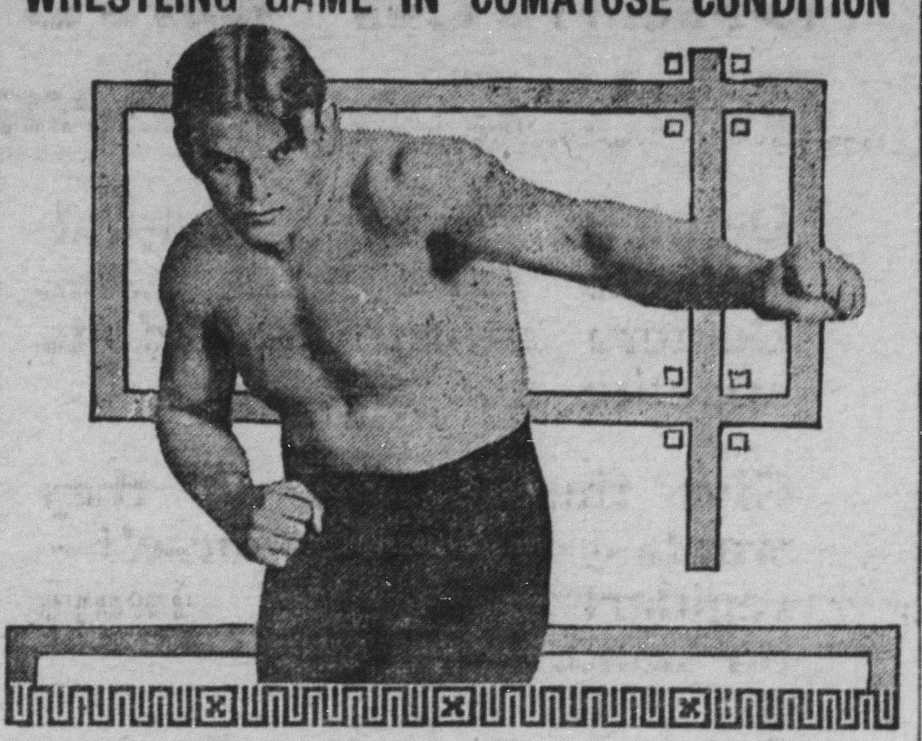
Pheasants On Way For State Use.

The State Game Commission received word that a large consignment of ring-necked pheasants was on its way from England for stocking the various State game preserves. The birds are the first to be bought in England. The State has bought quail in Florida and Mexico for stocking preserves.

Profit Sharing Plan.

Ten thousand dollars in bonuses are said to be involved in a suit now before the Dauphin County Court, in which Paul Snyder, a former employe of a chocolate company at Hershey, demands $118, or twenty per cent. of his salary for the year 1911, under the company's profit sharing system. Snyder claims he was denied because he was laid off before the end of the year, when the division was made. This is a test case, and it is said that more than one hundred others will be determined by it.

WRESTLING GAME IN COMATOSE CONDITION



Champion Frank Gotch.

The once-popular but sadly mistreated sport of wrestling was in a comatose condition during 1914.

While the faking management of the game was largely responsible for its recent downfall, after a strong revival, the European wars, both Balkan and all-Europe, had a lot to do with its demise.

Of recent years, nearly all the excitement that could be scared up was created through the importation of terrible Turks, horrible Greeks and posts of various other nations.

These large, uncouth apparitions were taken round the country, on carefully arranged tours, "meeting" and "defeating" a flock of home-grown wrestlers, who were sent a jump ahead of the European "champions," and who met them again and again—always the same inner circle, of course, with no rash outsiders or really ambitious youngsters permitted to cut in.

Frank Gotch, who used to come out of his cage and leisurely flop the horrible Bulturkians, after they had been sufficiently advertised, grew tired of it, and hasn't emerged for quite a while. And then—the war finished up.

The terrible matmen of Europe, of course, are large, husky—far bigger and stronger than the average. They had no chance to escape the eagle eye of the recruiting officers.

Give them credit for a match that wasn't "framed"—those who had to return to the colors, as a rule went back gallantly, and tackled an opponent who wouldn't "lay," wouldn't stall, and wouldn't even stand for a draw.

Those who didn't feel like returning to the flag were mostly induced to do so, anyhow, and right now there are very few European wrestlers at liberty to wrestle anybody but the gents in the other uniforms. Many of them have fallen in battle, and by the time they can cross over here again the survivors will probably find that the whole wrestling game has been forgotten.

COSTLY MISTAKE IN NAMES

Waivers Are Asked on Grover Cleveland Alexander When His Brother Was Player Intended.

Waiver on Grover Cleveland Alexander! This caused more excitement recently than the time when Larry McLean stole second. Clubs looked at the waiver notice in amazement and then demanded to know whether President William F. Baker had suddenly gone locoed.

Grover Cleveland Alexander.

Here's the story: The Phils decided to waive on R. S. Alexander, a brother of the famous Grover, who was permitted to drill with the other tossers in the morning last summer. When the notice reached National league headquarters they changed the name to Grover C. Alexander, because they never had heard of his brother.

A rain of wires reached the Phils' office and President Baker had to answer every one of them and explain the mistake.

No Echoes for Heinie.

Christy Mathewson declares that Heinie Zimmerman is a mighty hard man to beat on a golf course.

"I was playing with Heinie one day," said the pitcher of the Giants, "when he sliced his ball into an abandoned quarry. He went down into the pit and was gone for some time. After he came up I asked, 'How many did you play, Heinie?'

"'Three,' he answered.

"'Hold on there,' I interrupted. 'I distinctly heard six strokes.'

"'Oh,' Heinie answered, 'the other three were echoes.'"

Moakley Used to Championships.

Coach Jack Moakley of the Cornell university has developed winning squads in eastern intercollegiate races 19 times, having won the cross-country title 14 times and the track and field championships five times, including last year, which gave them possession of the valuable silver cup.

WHY NOT THIS?

Trotters and pacers always have their marks after their names; so why not transmit the idea to baseball? Thus:

Ty Cobb, .368, may omit the Southern training trip.

Hans Lobert, .275, is spending the winter in Cuba.

Connie Mack has sold Eddie Collins, .344, to Chicago.

Boston parts with a bundle and gets Sherwood Magee, .314.

Heine Zimmerman, .296, declares that he will get Johnny Evers, .279, the first chance that offers.

Charles Deal, .210, wanted more coin and got 23.

The Phils failed to swap Milton Stock, .263, for Heine Groh, .288.

SPORTING WORLD

Charlie Swain, who with Seattle last year set a new world's record for home runs by making 34, surpassing Ping Bodie's old coast mark, has recently had his right leg amputated after an accident.

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Jack Lelivelt, the former New York outfielder who figured in the trade for Roger Peckinpaugh, has been sold to Kansas City A. A. by the Cleveland Americans.

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Heine Pietz, the old time National league favorite, who played with Kansas City last season, has signed to umpire in the Central circuit.

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Umpire Billy Evans says there are not enough good players to keep up the standard of two major leagues; that there is no room for a third circuit.

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Big Frank Metz, first baseman of the Indianapolis Athletic association team last season, is reported to be flirting with the Feds.

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Tom Halpin offers no alibis for being beaten by Meredith in the quarter mile at the Milrose games. But why offer alibis when the guy that passed you came within one-fifth of a world's record?

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Wizard Jake Moakley at Cornell is busy grooming another championship team. If his captain and sprinter is able to compete despite injuries sustained in an accident last summer.

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Al Wagner, a brother of the famous Hans, has been engaged to coach the basketball and baseball teams of Carnegie Tech.

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Dob Doran of Chicago has entered his power-boat in the San Francisco regatta.

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The Omaha Gun club contemplates constructing a clubhouse to cost $10,000.

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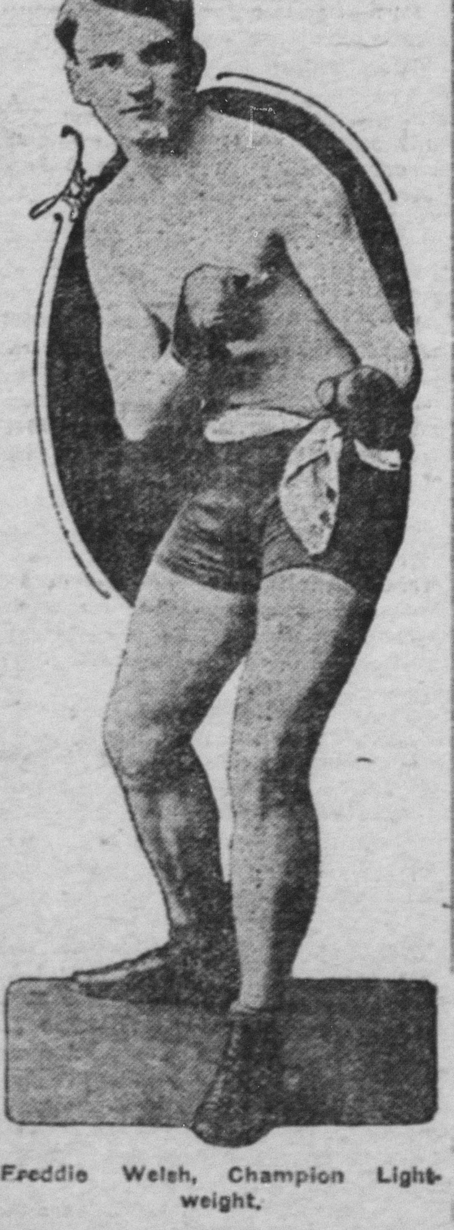
Wall street is determined to conceal the real business crisis of the country. They do not even mention Tom Sharkey leaving New York.

CHAMPION PUGILISTS TODAY

Boxer Is Somewhat Different From His Beetle-Browed Predecessor—Must Possess Brains.

"The boxer of today," writes Freddie Welsh in Strand, "is not the beetle-browed and scarred veteran of the past. He must, if he hopes to approach championship class, be a man possessed of brains, a man with a capacity for thinking all the while a contest is in progress. He must be cool and level headed. Once he loses the command of his temper all is lost. He becomes wild and erratic, he loses touch with the finer points of the sport altogether, he becomes just a target for the gloves of his opponent. They tap him from all quarters with irritating frequency, the points are scored up against him at a lightning rate, and, although he may be strong and well at the end of the final round, he is the loser.

"Take any of the modern champions, and what do we find? Just that they have come out of their contests practically unmarked. Speaking for myself, during my career in the ring I have taken part in 113 contests. My photograph speaks for itself. Do I look a battered veteran? I know I would not win any prize beauty championship, but I am just driving home a point that a man need not carry the marks of the fray about with him. In nearly ten years of boxing with 113 opponents and 1,000 sparring partners, I have never yet had a black eye."



Freddie Welsh, Champion Lightweight.

PRIZES TEMPT THE AMATEUR

Valuable, Yet Useless Trophies, Lead Winners to Realize in Cash—Bronze Is Suggested.

The recent agitation concerning the amateur standing of a champion athlete makes sport followers wonder if the clubs are not largely responsible for the class of semipros which undoubtedly is growing larger all the time. An amateur is a man who competes solely for glory, without thought of financial gain. If an amateur refuses to enter a meet unless the prizes have a considerable cash value, what do the men in charge of that meet suppose he is going to do with any prize he may win? They must at least suspect, and they must close their eyes on suspicion.

Under the present rules a man is forbidden to sell his prizes. Such as he wins he must keep, but, to quote Goldberg, after he's got 'em, what is he going to do with 'em? The best he can do is to say to someone, "Come on up and look at my medals." He can't wear them without being taken for the president of a South American republic.

The majority of real amateur athletes are persons of limited means. Is it fair for the clubs to deliberately put temptation in their way? A man with one suit of clothes and seven gold watches has a natural inclination to pass the time. Suppose, instead of watches, diamond rings and solid gold and silver trophies, only bronze medals were offered as prizes. A bronze medal could be so handsomely worked out that it might cost a good deal of money and yet it would have very little real cash value. Then the men who depend upon the money they can make out of their skill on field and track would be forced into the open and the temptation to secretly transgress amateur rules would be largely removed.

Keep Four-Mile Crew Race.

Definite decision that the varsity event in the intercollegiate regatta on the Hudson should remain at four miles was reached by the board of stewards of the Intercollegiate Rowing association at the annual meeting. The date for this year's regatta was fixed as Monday, June 28.

WHAT $10 DID FOR THIS WOMAN

The Price She Paid for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Which Brought Good Health.

Danville, Va.—"I have only spent ten dollars on your medicine and I feel so much better than I did when the doctor was treating me. I don't suffer any bearing down pains at all now and I sleep well. I cannot say enough for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills as they have done so much for me. I am enjoying good health now and owe it all to your remedies. I take pleasure in telling my friends and neighbors about them."—Mrs. MATTIE HALEY, 501 Colquhone Street, Danville, Va.

No woman suffering from any form of female troubles should lose hope until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

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His Turn Next.

Diner—See here, where are those oysters I ordered on the half shell?

Waiter—Don't get impatient, sah. We're dreffle short on shells; but you're next, sah.—Boston Evening Transcript.

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Prepare razor. Dip brush in hot water and rub it on Cuticura Soap held in palm of hand. Then make lather on face and rub in for a moment with fingers. Make second lathering and shave. Rub bit of Cuticura Ointment over shaven parts (and on scalp if any dandruff or itching) and wash all off with Cuticura Soap and hot water, shampooing same time. One soap for all—shaving, shampooing, bathing and toilet. It's velvet for sensitive skins. No slimy mug. No germs. No waste of time or money. Free sample each if you wish. Address postcard, "Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston." Sold everywhere.—Adv.

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He Certainly Did.

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"Do you wish his exact number?" asked the busy clerk, absent-mindedly.

Attention, Mothers!

Write Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co., 1304 Kesner Bldg., Chicago, Ill., for 28 page beautifully colored "Mother Goose Jingle Book." Sent free to all readers of this paper.—Adv.

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Uric Acid in Your Food

Even dogs can eat too much meat. Certainly, many people "dig their graves with their teeth." Few get enough exercise to justify a meat diet, for meat brings uric acid. The kidneys try hard to get rid of that poison, but often a backache, or some other slight symptom will show that the kidneys need help. The time-tried remedy, then, is Doan's Kidney Pills.

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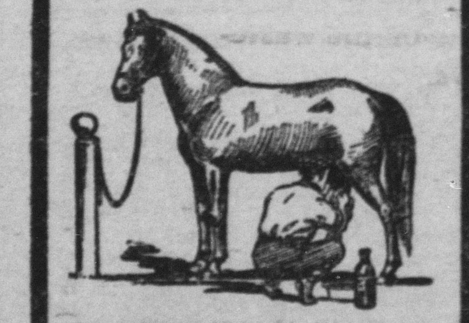

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THE MARKETS

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red, 168, and No. 2 hard, 171c, all rail, c i f track, export; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 170½, and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, 168¾ c i f Buffalo.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 yellow, 86½c c i f to arrive.

Butter—Creamery extras (92 score), 30@30½c; creamery (higher scoring), 31@31½; firsts, 28@29½; seconds, 26@27½.

Eggs—Fresh gathered extras, 28½@29c; extra firsts, 28; firsts, 27@27½; seconds, 26@26½; nearby hennery whites, 36@37.

Cheese—State, whole milk, held, specials, 17¼@17½c; do, average fancy, 16½@17.

Live Poultry—Firm; Western chickens, 15½@16c; fowls, 15½@16; turkeys, 16@18.

Dressed Poultry—Quiet; Western roasting chickens, 17@21c; fresh fowls, 14½@18½; turkeys, 14@22½.

PHILADELPHIA. — Wheat — Car lots, in export elevator, No. 2 red, spot and February, $1.60@1.65; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.68@1.73; No. 2 red Western, $1.64@1.69.

Corn—Car lots, for local trade, as to location, No 2 yellow, new, 83@83½c; steamer, yellow, new, 82@82½c; No. 3 yellow, new, 79@80c; sample yellow, new, 73@76c; new, cob, per seventy pounds, 83@84c; for car lots in export elevator, No. 2 spot and February, 79@80c; steamer, 77½@78½c; No. 3, 76½@77½c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 64@64½c; standard white, 63@63½; No. 3 white, 62½@63c.

Butter — Western, solid - packed creamery, fancy, special, 33c; extra, 31c; extra firsts, 30c; firsts, 28@29c; seconds, 26@27c; nearby prints, fancy, 34c; average extra, 33c; firsts, 29@31c; seconds, 2[illegible]@28c; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 39@41c.

Eggs—Nearby extra, 30c per dozen; firsts, $8.10 per standard case; nearby current receipts, $7.95 per case; Western, extra firsts, $8.10 per case; do do, firsts, $7.95 per case; Southern, $7.80@7.95 per case; fancy, selected, candled and fresh eggs, jobbing at 32@34c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 14½@15c; old roosters, 11@11½c; chickens, soft-meated, 15@16c; do do, staggy, 13@14c; ducks, 16@17c; geese, 15@17c; guineas, as to quality, per pair, 45@55c; turkeys, 14@17c; pigeons, old, per pair, 22@25c; do do, young, per pair, 17@18c.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 red spot and February, 161½c; March, 162; No. 2 red Western, spot and February, 164¼.

Corn—Spot mixed, 78¾; February, 78¾; March, 79¼. The demand was fair and market firm. Sales included one car prime sail mixed spot, 79¼c; 6,000 do. do. do, strictly fresh, 79½; 5,000 March, 79.

Oats—Standard white, 62¾@63c; No. 3 white, 62¼@62½.

Rye—No. 2 rye Western, $1.30@1.31; No. 3 do, $1.28@1.29; No. 4 do, $1.26@1.27; bag lots of nearby rye, as to quality, $1@1.12.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $19@19.50; No. 2, do, $18@18.50; No. 3 do, $16@17; light clover mixed, $18@18.50; No. 1 clover mixed $17.50@18; No. 2 do, $15.50@16.50; choice clover, $19@19.50; No. 1 clover, $18.50@19; No. 2 do, $15@16.50 No. 3 do, $11.50@14.

Straw—No 1 straight rye, $13; No. 2 do, $12@12.50; No. 1 tangled rye, $10@11; No. 2 do, $8.50@9; No. 1 wheat, $9; No. 2 do, $7.50@8; No. 1 oat, $9.50@10; No. 2 do, $8@8.50.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 32@33; creamery, choice, 30@31; creamery, good, 28@29; creamery, prints, 32@34; creamery, blocks, 31@33; ladles, 21@22; Maryland and Pennsylvania, rolls, 21@22; Ohio, rolls, 20@21; West Virginia, rolls, 20@21; storepacked, 19; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania, dairy prints, 19@20; process butter, 25@27.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 25c; Western firsts, 25; West Virginia firsts, 24@25; Southern firsts, 23@24. Duck eggs, 33c.

Live Poultry—Chickens—Old hens, 4 lbs and over, 14c; do, small to medium, 14; old roosters, 10; young, smoot and fat, 16; do, rough, poor and staggy, 13@14; winter, 2 lbs and under, 18@20; broilers, 1 to 1½ lbs, 22@25. Ducks—Muscovy, 3 lbs and over, 15c; Pekings, do, 16; puddle, do, 15@16; smaller, 14; Indian runners, 14. Geese—Nearby, 13@14c; Western and Southern, 11@12; Kent Island, 15@16. Pigeons—Young, pair, 15@20c; old, do, 15@20. Guinea Fowl—Young, 1½ lbs and over, each, 25@30c; smaller, do, 15@20; old, do, 20. Turkeys—Hens, 17@18c; young gobblers, 15@16; do, rough, poor, crooked breast, 12; old toms, 15.

Dressed Hogs—Choice lightweights, 8@9c; do mediumweights, 7@7½; do, heavyweights, 6@6½; boars and rough stock, 5@5½.

Live Stock

ST. LOUIS, MO.—Hogs—Pigs and lights, $4.50@6.50; mixed and butchers', $6.50@6.70; good heavy, $6.60@6.70.

Cattle—Native beef steers, $7@8.50; cows and heifers, $5@8.25; stockers and feeders, $5.25@7.25; Texas and Indian steers, $5.25@7.75; cows and heifers, $4@5.75; native calves, $6@10.50.

Sheep—Native muttons, $5@6.75; lambs, $8@8.70; yearlings, $7@7.50.

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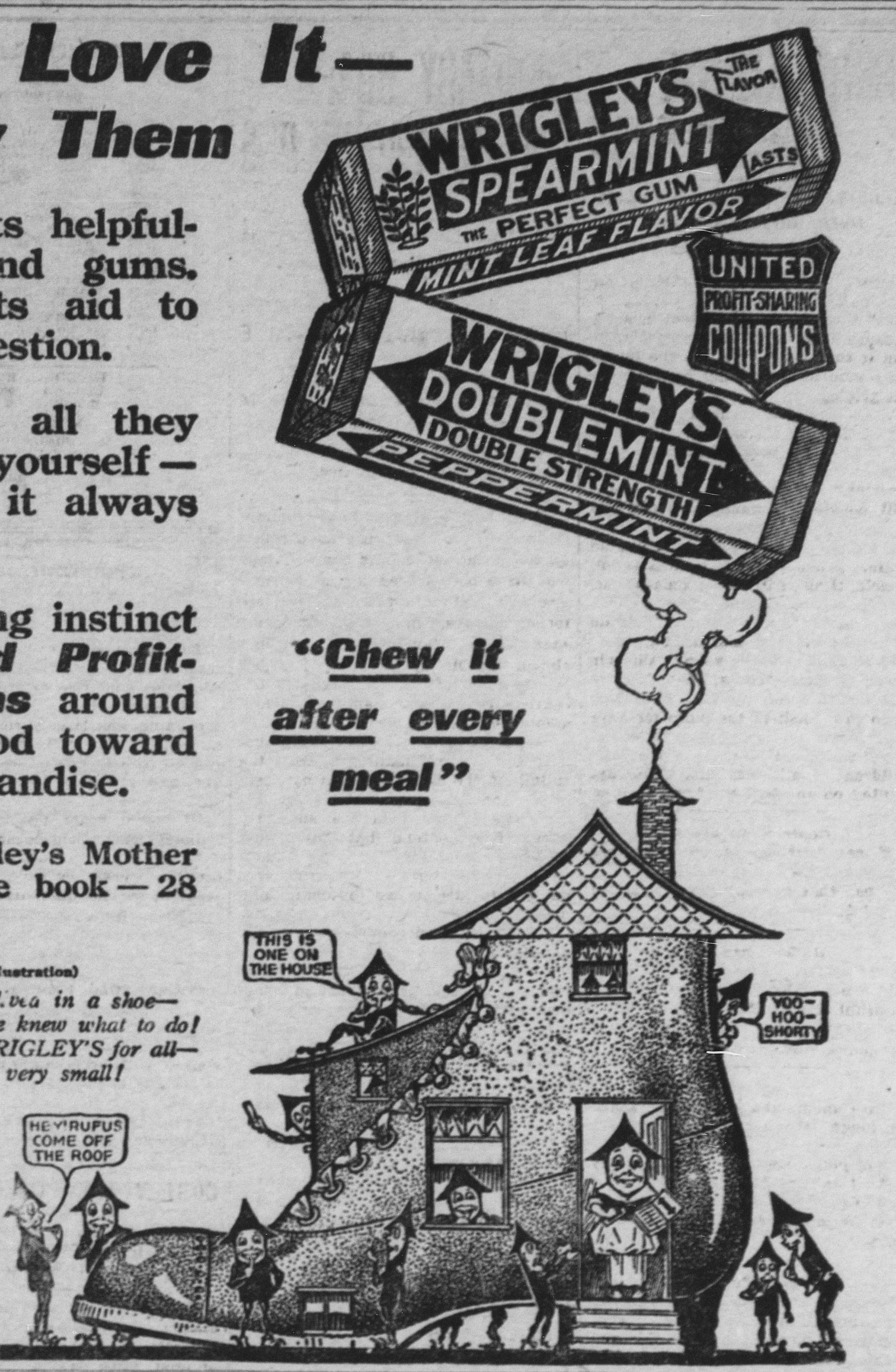

Its Sort.

Prisoner—I embezzled this money because I am not rich.

Judge—A poor excuse.

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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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Gentle Hint

He—Once for all, I demand to know who is master in this house?

She—You'll be happier if you don't find out.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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The Unreasonable Sex.

Knicker—Does your wife make you wear rubbers?

Outlate—Going out; but she won't let me wear sneaks coming in.

IF BACK HURTS CLEAN KIDNEYS WITH SALTS

Drink Lots of Water and Stop Eating Meat for a While If the Bladder Bothers You.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.—Adv.

Noncommittal.

Miss Gushmore—Don't you just love danger, major?

Major Grizzley—H'm! I respect it.

STILL IT WASN'T SETTLED

Ordinary Mortals May Continue to Pronounce Name of French City as They Desire.

"Wasn't it fearful about the Reems cathedral?"

"Don't say Reems; it sounds horribly ignorant."

"Well, how do you pronounce it?"

"Why, Hranss."

"How?"

"Hn—Hranhss! Just as if you were clearing your throat. See? Hranss!"

"Well, you sound as if you had a dreadful influenza, threatened with grippe!"

"Well, that's right, anyhow. H—hn—hnh—hrahnhss!"

"You'd better go to Arizona! You'll never get well here! I don't believe you, anyway. Everybody says Reems."

"They don't, either!"

"They do so!"

"Oh, well, it depends on the sort of people you associate with—"

"Well, I don't go with a lot of fake highbrows, anxious to show off the French they learned in a course of lessons by mail—"

"Better than a lot of country junks who don't know how to pronounce—"

"Oh, well, the church wasn't hurt much, anyhow."

"No, they say it can be repaired. How do you like my hat?"

"Heavenly! What do you think of mine?"

"Adorable! Let's go in and have soda."

"Let's."—Carolyn Wells in The Woman's Home Companion.

The Diplomat.

They were on the verge of a quarrel. The little wife—strange how they are always "little" in cold, unfeeling type—was exasperate.

"You are enough to make an angel weep!" she exclaimed.

"I don't see tears in your eyes," he replied, with Michiavellian trickiness, and she knew with a woman's intuition that he meant to imply that she was celestial in texture.

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Oculists and Physicians used Murine Eye Remedy many years before it was offered as a Domestic Eye Medicine. Murine is Still Compounded by Our Physicians and guaranteed by them as a Reliable Relief for Eyes that Need Care. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes—No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Buy Murine of your Druggist—accept no Substitute, and if interested write for Book of the Eye Free.

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"Since the war began the women have been taking the places of the men on the Paris street cars."

"Well, they'd do it here, but the men are too ill mannered to get up."

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A simple remedy against coughs and all throat irritations are Dean's Mentholated Cough Drops—5c at all good Druggists.

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Not a Bad Plan.

"What are you doing to allay the suffering in Europe?" asked the self-conscious philanthropist.

"Nothing," answered the unobtrusive citizen.

"What!" exclaimed the other, indignantly. "Have you no heart?"

"Yes, I have a heart, but my means are limited and I'm trying to allay suffering at home by paying my debts."

IF HAIR IS TURNING GRAY, USE SAGE TEA

Don't Look Old! Try Grandmother's Recipe to Darken and Beautify Gray, Faded, Lifeless Hair.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant. Adv.

Strange Conclusion.

"It is the vote that does the talking."

"Yes, especially the silent vote."

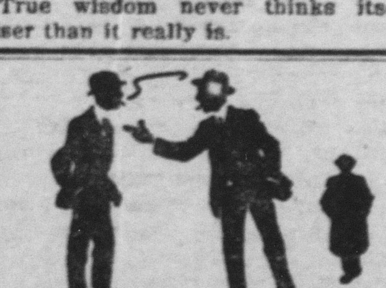
In Hard Case.

"That amateur farmer is doing his own sowing."

"So is his wife."

Love makes the world go round, but revenge tries to square it.

True wisdom never thinks itself wiser than it really is.



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THE CENTRE REPORTER.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1915

LOCALS

A lot of new stationery for the ladies, at the Reporter office.

Capt. W. H. Runkle is about again after having been housed up for several weeks.

Dr. P. H. Dale of State College attended the regular monthly meeting of the Masons on Monday evening.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Reformed church held a social in the basement of the church, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Samuel Snyder and daughter Rebecca of Jersey Shore are spending a short time with the former's sister, Miss Gertrude Floray.

Mrs. Michael Hess of Woodward sold her small farm, together with some woodland, near Colyer, to her son, Arthur Holderman, last week.

Jim Boyd, the negro, who was to have been electrocuted this week at the new death house, was granted a respite by the governor. The stay of execution is for four weeks.

The local I. O. O. F. lodge has been invited to confer the first degree upon a class of candidates in the Spring Mills order, Friday of next week. The trip will very likely be made.

Two sales that are to take place in the valley this week are those of J. W. Gobble, in Georges Valley, today (Thursday), and George F. Potter, near Tusseyville, on Friday.

Don't forget the German supper in Grange Hall, Saturday evening, by the local Rebekah lodge. The ladies will serve the genuine German dishes, everyone of which is a good one.

The Reformed Church Bulletin for February, is in the hands of its readers, and as usual, the editor, Rev. R. R. Jones, has issued a number containing much information for those in his charge.

The Spring Mills summer normal will open on April 26th, and not on the 25th, as was advertised last week. Prof. Jones is a firm believer in the efficacy of printer's ink and finds it pays him, since he uses it judiciously.

Dr. and Mrs. J. V. Foster of State College were in Centre Hall, Saturday, and reported the serious illness of their young son, John, who has had two attacks of pneumonia within a short time. A trained nurse is in attendance.

Grange Hall was the scene of a big dance, Friday night. About one hundred tripped the light fantastic to music furnished by the State College orchestra. Young people from Boalsburg, State College and Spring Mills were present.

Daniel Klinger, living on the Van Tries farm near Linden Hall, was a caller at this office on Monday and made arrangements for the printing of sale bills for his sale which takes place on Wednesday, March 31st. Mr. Klinger has not yet fully decided where he will locate.

According to the most recent order from the State Livestock Sanitary Board, issued this week, only the counties of Lancaster, Lebanon and York are under full quarantine. A number of other counties, mostly in the eastern part of the state, are quarantined only in certain townships, boroughs and cities.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral of Mrs. Eliza McClellan on Saturday, were Rev. W. A. McClellan of Rockwood; Miss Anna Middleworth of Beavertown; Robert Burchfield of Watsontown; Mrs. Altoff and daughter, Mrs. Scott Smith, of Millmont; Webster Close of McClure, and Frank McClellan and son of Spring Mills.

Here's how the no-license policy works in Juniata county: At a meeting of the board of county commissioners the county tax was reduced from 6 to 4½ mills. During the three years that rum has been ousted the county debt has been reduced $33,000 and the people are to be given the benefit. Almshouses are also a thing of the past in Juniata county.

Mrs. Martin Stokloff of Sunbury, while at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Swabb, at Tusseyville, tripped when carrying a kettle of boiling water and spilled a portion of it over her lower limbs, scalding herself pretty badly. On Saturday her husband, who is a railroad man, came up to see her and had expected to take her home, but the weather conditions were such that the woman thought best not to expose herself to the elements.

The Crawford county senator has introduced a bill providing for pensioning disabled state job holders, at the rate of one-half their salary. The eligibles are, those who served the state twenty-five or more years, or all employes over seventy years of age who have served the state for twenty years. It appears to the average man that one who has had a state job for twenty or twenty-five years ought to be able to accumulate sufficient wealth for the remainder of his life. At least there are plenty of capable men who would accept positions at current salaries and give bond that they would not become state charges on retiring from public duty.

REBERSBURG

Mrs. Monassa Gilbert spent a few days the past week visiting relatives at Livona.

Harry McCool has quit working for Jacob Winkleblech and is now attending the sales in order that he can buy farming implements and live stock as he will commence farming this spring on James Corman's farm.

Samuel Gephart will take charge of the Hazel store the latter part of this week. An invoice of the goods is being taken at present.

Lester Minnich spent several days this week at State College on business.

Howard Krape and Thomas Walker are at present on the sick list.

Issac Bletz of Tylersville has been employed by some of our auto owners for the past week, making needed repairs on their machines.

Jacob Bower, an aged gentleman of Coburn, and a former resident of this valley, visited in this vicinity the past week.

Victor Walker, the mail carrier, has taken the agency to sell the Buick auto. He has employed Clement Gramley to carry the mail while he looks after his auto business.

William Noll of Pleasant Gap was a Sunday visitor at the Mowery home There must be some attraction at this place as he makes frequent calls down here.

Ernest Bierly, who quite recently bought a small farm of W. S. Gramley of Millheim, and which is situated two miles northwest of this place, will turn the farm into a truck and fruit farm.

Howard Miller, who spent the past three weeks at Pitcairn, returned to this place and is getting things in shape to move to that place the latter part of this month.

Last Saturday, while Mrs. George Winters was attending sale at Aaronsburg she had the misfortune to fall and badly sprained her arm and also received other painful injuries.

PENN HALL

Florence Bartges visited her friend Irma Shook on Saturday.

William Hosterman visited friends at Boalsburg over Sunday.

Adam Keller and family are moving to Aaronsburg this spring.

Mrs. Guise has returned to her home in Penn Hall; she is quite a bit better.

Mrs. Calvin Osman of Glenn Iron visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Musser over Sunday.

Florence Bartges spent Sunday with her friend, Kathryn Sinkabine.

Ralph Shook and family spent Tuesday at the home of Philip Shook near Madisonburg.

Harry Corman began to haul milk on Monday, he has the route that William Smith had.

We sure have been having changeable weather. For a few days it was like spring, but after several days the wind began bowling as bad as any time during the winter.

A number of people from here had Dentist G W. Hosterman, at Centre Hall, do work for them before he left for California. Others will be obliged to wait until he returns.

Mrs. Ephraim Shook had dinner prepared at her home for the friends and relatives who attended her mother's funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Duck from Clintondale had a man hired to bring them over in a car, and when they started home, the car broke a few rods from Mrs. Shook's home. The only way for them to go home was on the train as they had to go there to do their work—impossible to stay.

CENTRE OAK

Last week we had ground hog days; at least, the overcoats and the coal fires were all the go.

John F. Breon and family of Altoona have moved their household goods to the Conley farm east of Centre Hall. They expect to start farming there this spring.

Miss Lena and Theodore Breon spent a few days at the Frankenberger home.

Miss Bessie Emerick of Centre Hall is going to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ilgen for the coming summer.

George W. Long, the painter, is busy at painting and paper hanging. He is working at Spring Mills.

Mrs. Kathryn Rishel and granddaughter, Alta Sinkabine, spent Sunday with W. F. Rishel and family.

George W. Frankenberger and family, Misses Mildred, Ethel and Mary Long, Miss Maud and Robert Meeker, and Leo and Dwight Homan, spent Sunday afternoon with Harry Frankenberger and family.

Wallace Ilgen and father, and Herbert Hettinger and family, spent Sunday at the home of Isaac Smith.

State May Pay Bounties Hereafter.

A bill now before the state legislature if passed will place the payment of bounties for noxious animals in the hands of state game officials and will take away from the county commissioners this trouble which in the past has caused much annoyance as in many instances the bounties, amounting to several thousand dollars a year, were paid out by the county and they were forced to wait several months before they were reimbursed by the state.

DANGERS OF SPRING.

Commissioner of Health Warns Against Many Indiscretions that Bring Evil Results.

When nature arouses from her winter lethargy and the first faint promises of spring softens the wind, man in common with all animal life harkens to the foretokening.

The desire for change and relief from the winter routine is strong in us all and while this is the time when caution should be exercised our impulses seem to lead us to cast it aside. The high death rate from pneumonia and tuberculosis which is the inevitable accompaniment of the early spring months is an irrefutable evidence that this change from winter habits requires the exercise of caution to prevent evil results.

The city dweller in particular is apt to over-eat and under-exercise during the winter season. As a result when spring approaches his physical strength is below par, he becomes easily fatigued and therefore susceptible to the attacks of disease germs.

Old people who suffer from the cold during the winter and who do not appreciate that ventilation need not mean exposure, are apt to suffer from the sudded changes of temperature at this season of the year. It is particularly due to these winter habits of poor ventilation and insufficient exercise that when spring arrives we feel debilitated.

The sensible liver who sleeps the year round in the fresh air, eats in moderation and exercises rationally is far less subject to spring fever ailments than the more self indulgent individual.

During March when fluctuations of the temperature are frequent, care should be taken to maintain an even bodily temperature by proper protection in the way of clothing. Better some slight discomfort at noon than to be chilled on the way home from work at night. Moderation in diet is also advisable. This with a reasonable amount of exercise and well ventilated sleeping rooms will aid in resisting the dangers accompanying the approach of spring.

WHY HE DOES IT.

Druggist H. A. Dodson Gives Reasons for Selling at Half-Price.

It isn't often that I have faith enough in the medicine put up by other people to be willing to offer or refund the money if it does not cure, said druggist H. A. Dodson to one of his many customers, but I am glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that plan.

The Dr. Howard Co., in order to get a quick introductory sale authorized me to sell the regular fifty cent bottle of their specific for half price, 25 cents, and although I have sold a lot of it, and guaranteed every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory."

I am still selling the specific at half-price, although I cannot tell how long I shall be able to do so. Any person who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion or a general played out condition, ought to take advantage of this opportunity. If the specific does not cure them, they can come right back to my store, and I will cheerfully refund their money.

PUBLIC SALE

90 Head of Horses, Cattle, and Hogs.

Will be sold at public sale, on the J. D. Sterrett farm, two miles east of Milroy, Pa., on

MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1915,

the following personal property, to-wit:

Black horse, eight years old, single line leader, works anywhere, weight 1575 pounds; black horse, eleven years old, works anywhere, weight 1600 pounds; No. 1 team of black horses, seven and eight years old, work anywhere, weight 2900 pounds; black horse, nine years old, single leader, works anywhere, weight 1400 pounds; bay horse, eight years old, single driver and farm horse, weight 1200 pounds; black mare, five years old, with foal, works anywhere, weight 1100 pounds; Holstein bull, weight 900; Short Horn bull, weight 800 pound, 3 Short Horn bulls, eighteen months old, 7 heifers that will be fresh in the middle of the summer; 10 yearling calves, 40 hogs, 7 Chester White brood sows, will farrow in March; Chester White boar, nineteen months old, 26 shoats, 90 to 100 pounds each; 7 shoats, 50 pounds each. The following Short Horn cattle: Two cows, third calf by time of sale; 3 cows fourth calf by the time of sale; cow second calf by time of sale, heifer first calf by time of sale, cow fourth calf in June, cow fifth calf in July, cow third calf in August, cow second calf in August, cow third calf in September; 50 full blooded Plymouth Rock chickens and roosters, 2 four horse wagons, four inch tire; 2 two-horse Conklin wagons, two inch tire; three-seated top spring wagon, almost new; top buggy set of Yankee wagon ladders, 21 feet long, set, of Yankee wagon ladders 20 feet long, 2 sets two-inch manure planks, wind mill, Kemp manure spreader, 55-bushel bed; McCormick binder, 6 foot cut; Farmer Favorite 11 hoe grain drill, two-horse Johnson hay rake, one-horse, Osborne mower, five-foot cut; Johnson mower, five-foot cut; eight-fork Osborne hay tedder, six-fork Tiger hay tedder, reversible Syracuse sulkey plow, 2 No. 40 Oliver chilled plows, 2 eighteen-tooth Perry springtooth harrows, Penn corn worker, Hench corn worker, corn weeder, corn scraper, land roller, springtooth harrow and roller combined, Black Hawk double row corn planter, 120 feet of one-inch rope, 200 feet of four-inch rope and pulleys, 2 double harpoons, big U. S. No. 6 creaem separtor, meat choppers, 3 twelve-foot cable chains, boom chains, 3 horse double tree, 4 double trees, 10 singletrees, neck yokes, grain cradles, rakes, scoop shovels, manure forks, grain forks, pitch forks, brush scythes, mowing scythes, 3 good sets of harness for six hoorses, 2 24-in collars, 4 24-inch collars, 2 20-inch collars, 2 18-inch collars, set single buggy harness, 8 t tug bridles, 3 checklines, sets housings, flynes, choke straps, halters, plow lines, hitching straps, and many articles not mentioned.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock sharp.

Stock purchased may be kept at my barn for two days after sale, during which time I will care for it.

Terms—One year.
A free lunch dinner.

G. H. RIPKA.

G. H. Bell, Auctioneer.
R. Houser and R. McNitt, clerks.

Students at State College have organized a fire department of thirty-five members to protect the State's property.

SALE REGISTER

Parties having their sale bills printed at this office will have their sales registered under this head FREE of charge. To all others the charge is one dollar, the notice to run until date of sale.

THURSDAY, MARCH 4TH, at ten o'clock A. M., J. W. Gobble, in Georges Valley, will sell four horses, six milch, cows, five heifers, three bulls, full line of farm implements, etc. L. F. Mayes, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, MARCH 5, one mile north of Tusseyville, by George F. Potter; horses, cattle, hogs, implements, etc.

THURSDAY, MARCH 11, one o'clock, at Centre Hall, by S. W. Smith: Ten head of young horses, six of which are western stock of draft type; also, twelve or more cows, all with calves by their side or due to calve. L. F. Mayes, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17TH—at ten a. m., Erhart and Bradford, at Old Fort, will sell: Seven horses, one colt, seven milch cows, holstein bull, three steers, three heifers, three bull calves, two heifer calves, twenty-seven head of shoats, eight pigs, three brood sows. Lot of blacksmith tools. L. F. Mayes, auct.

SATURDAY, MARCH 20TH—at one o'clock p. m., in Centre Hall borough, Mrs. Kate Saunders will sell lot of household goods.

SATURDAY, MARCH 20, at Belleville, Pa., by Andrew Crotzer: Eighty head of live stock. Extra good young horses. Dapple grey mares, full sisters, both in foal; horse, five years old; bay horse, 4 years old; dark brown horse, 3 years old; dark bay driving mare, in foal; also a good grade of Guernsey cows, and heifers.

MONDAY, MARCH 22ND—at 10 a. m., George W. Horner, on the William Bottorf farm, two and one-half miles east of Linden Hall, will sell: Five horses, three colts, eight first-class milch cows, seven heifers, steer, Holstein bull, high-grade Shorthorn bull, two thoroughbred Guernsey bulls, four calves. These cattle are Shorthorn, Guernsey and Holstein stock and one of Centre county's finest herds; twenty-one shoats thoroughbred Chesterwhite brood sow. Lot of farm implements. L F. Mayes, auct.

TUESDAY, MARCH 23—ten o'clock a. m., A. C. Ripka, at Centre Hill, will sell farm stock and implements; some household goods.

TUESDAY, MARCH 23 at 9 A. M.—F. T. Whitehill, at Houserville, will sell: six horses, nine milch cows, three 2-year-old Guernsey bulls, five one-year old Shorthorn and Holstein bulls, 32 head of young cattle, 4 brood sows, 5 shoats and some pigs, 150 chickens; a full line of farm implements and some household goods. L. F. Mayes, auct. x

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24TH—at 10 a. m., A. F. Rote, on the Zubler farm, one mile west of Farmers Mills, will sell: Four horses, eleven milch cows, seven heifers, nine head of young cattle, five bulls, three brood sows, thirteen shoats, twenty ewes, one ram. Good Deering binder, Deering mower, Osborne mower, and other farm implements. Household goods. De Laval cream separator. L. F. Mayes, auct.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 9 a. m., by Arthur Rothrock, one mile east of Pleasant Gap: Will sell horses, cattle, hogs, chickens, good farming implements, and a full line of household goods. Harry Grove, Auctioneer.

THURSDAY, MARCH 25TH, at one o'clock, Mrs. Almira Showers, will sell at her residence, one mile north of Tusseyville: Two milch cows, one heifer, one bull. Also, some household goods, lot of vinegar, etc.

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, at 12 o'clock, sharp, on top of Nittany Mountain, by Minerva Tate: Horses, cows, young cattle, implements and household goods. H. Grove, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, MARCH 27TH, at 10 a. m., H. C. Reish, on the Conley farm, 1-4 mile east of Centre Hall, will sell 2 horses, 3 colts, 20 head of cattle, 5 sows, Plano binder, Deering mower, and lot of other farm machinery.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31ST, at ten o'clock a. m., Daniel Klinger, on the Van Tries farm, one mile east of Linden Hall, will sell: Four horses, six cows, Shorthorn bull, 18 months old; two steers, bull, 1 year old; three heifers, six head young cattle, boar, four brood sows, 28 shoats. Farm implements.

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Increased Railroad facilities, better service, greater safety and convenience, business expansion and the employment of a great number of men now idle would follow the repeal of the wasteful Pennsylvania and New Jersey Full Crew Laws.

Facts—Not Theories

$2,000,000 would buy 200 steel coaches.
It would pay for 80 locomotives.
It would purchase 67,000 tons of rails.
It would return 5 per cent. on $40,000,000.
It would block-signal 1000 miles of track.
It would eliminate 65 grade crossings.
It would pay for 2000 freight cars.
It would build 200 new stations at $10,000.
It would provide additional freight terminal facilities.
It would buy 2,500,000 railroad ties.
It would pay for 2,000,000 tons of coal.
The iron and steel industry would be stimulated, furnishing steel for new cars, rails, bridges, buildings, etc.
Miners and coke oven operatives would get increased work as industry expanded.
New construction would mean busy times for the Lehigh region cement plants and their workmen.
Thousands of architects, contractors, building trades workers, electrical concerns and electricians, skilled mechanics, carpenters, miners, and day laborers would so get work.

With these incontestible facts thus clearly set forth, the twenty-one railroads of Pennsylvania and New Jersey feel it their duty to place the fate of the Full Crew Laws in the hands of the people. They are convinced the people prefer that employment be given to thousands for whom there actually is work to knowing that $2,000,000 a year is being paid in mandatory wages for extra men for whom there exists no essential service to perform and whose presence, it has been conclusively shown, increases—rather than decreases—the hazards of railroad operation.

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